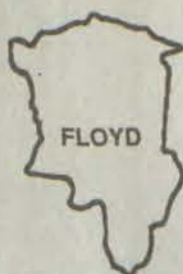


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"I wish we hadn't done that to them people"

Murder suspects' admissions to jailer can be admitted in trial, judge rules

by Nicole Gaudiano
Staff Writer
The Greeneville (Tenn.) Sun



Joseph Lance Risner called himself "a killer" hours after being charged with murder.

Joseph Lance Risner, of Paintsville, called himself "a killer" hours after he and five other Kentuckians were charged in the April 6 murders of three Powell, Tenn., family members outside Baileyton, an Arizona jailer testified Monday in Greene County General Sessions Court.

"He (Risner) looked up at me

kind of sideways and flipped his hair back and made the statement, 'I'm a killer,'" Jailer Shawn Patrick Ferrell testified.

He spoke at a hearing on various motions that had been filed by de-

fense attorneys for the six suspects charged in the April 6 murders of Vidar and Delfina Lillelid and their six-year-old daughter, Tabitha, and the serious wounding of two-year-old Peter Lillelid.

In other developments: — Ferrell also testified that Edward "Dean" Mullins, of Toler, another of the suspects, volunteered the information that the Lillelids were killed for gas money, that they had cried before they died, and that "I wish we hadn't done that to them

people."

— A statement was released before the hearing in which an Arizona deputy states that Jason Bryant, of Marrowbone in Pike County, one of two juveniles who are among the six persons charged in the shootings, allegedly told him that "it started" when "the guy (presumably Vidar Lillelid) started talking to him (Bryant) about God and he didn't want to hear it."

— General Sessions Court Judge James D. Carter ruled that

"We went through them people's pockets for money for gas," Edward Mullins reportedly said.



the Arizona officers' testimony about Risner's and Mullins' statements could be admitted at their preliminary hearing since the statements were volunteered to officers. — Judge Carter granted a de-

fense motion that he recuse himself from the case because he issued the initial warrants for the arrest of the six suspects.

Ferrell's Testimony

Ferrell, the Arizona jailer, testified Risner was on a 15-minute suicide watch in his jail holding cell, slumped on a chair with his head in his lap, before he "opened his eyes

(See Admissions, page two)

Super's job to get review in board meet

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

Floyd County school board members backed away from a special meeting Friday afternoon after concerns were raised that one of the members had not been notified of the meeting.

But board members did make their disapproval known relating to

non-actions by chairman Ursal Ray Wilcox and superintendent Gene Davis.

The meeting was called to order, but it was quickly decided by the board to discuss no issues. Before adjourning, board member Jody Mullins asked Wilcox why he failed to list for discussion the operations of the office of superintendent.

Three board members met individually with Wilcox Thursday morning to discuss agenda items for Friday's special meeting, Mullins said. With board attorney Jerry Patton on the telephone, Mullins said it was agreed to discuss the operations of the superintendent's office. He pointedly asked Wilcox why it was left off Friday's agenda.

Wilcox said he thought the issue could be discussed during a closed session for litigation because "it could lead to litigation."

Under Kentucky's Open Meetings Law, only proposed or pending litigation can be discussed during a closed session. Discussion of the operations of the superintendent's office is not an exception under the law for a closed-door meeting. Personnel issues which can lead to the appointment discipline or dismissal of an individual employee are allowed to be discussed behind closed doors.

Board members did not indicate if any discussion on the operations of the superintendent's office involved those issues allowed under the law.

Board attorney Jerry Patton said it wasn't a "good idea" to mix other issues into litigation discussions and suggested that the board avoid getting "too particular" in the wording. He said the board could

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Jury could get stabbing case today

by Chris McDavid
Staff Writer

A Floyd County jury may render a verdict today (Wednesday) in the case of a Hueysville man who is charged with the stabbing of another man at a McDowell bar in December.

Cisco Neeley, 41, is charged with first degree assault for allegedly stabbing Billy Darrell Stumbo in the arm at G&L Bar on December 7, 1996.

Commonwealth attorney John Earl Hunt presented evidence through the testimony of numerous eyewitnesses who said that after the defendant had an altercation with another subject, Neeley stabbed Stumbo.

Paintsville attorney Ed Spencer, who is representing Neeley in the trial, contends that his client was defending himself when the stabbing occurred.

Steve Hamilton, who apparently had an initial confrontation with Neeley, told the jury Tuesday in Floyd Circuit Court that he got



Not grocery shopping

Prestonsburg police and local merchants inventoried goods Friday afternoon which were reportedly stolen from area stores. Two Knott County women and a juvenile were arrested and charged with theft by unlawful taking for the alleged shoplifting spree. Officers also found a quantity of pills in medication bottles in the vehicle used by the three. Other charges could be forthcoming. (photo by Susan Allen)

Commission meet is cancelled over 'fed-up' mayor's objection

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

Open Meetings Law fever seems to be spreading throughout the county with Thursday night's cancellation of a special Wheelwright City Commission meeting.

A majority of city commissioners decided Thursday not to hold a special meeting after one commissioner and a member of the local media complained they were not properly informed of the meeting.

Commissioner Andy Akers said he had not been notified in writing 24-hours prior to the meeting, which is required under the state's Open Meetings Law.

Mayor Marlee Sammons and other commissioners indicated a meeting would be held anyway. Akers took a seat in the audience

and announced he would not participate in the meeting.

City attorney Tim Parker informed the commission that any actions taken could be voided if proper notification was not made.

The discussion apparently angered Mayor Sammons.

"The hell with all of you," Sam-

"The hell with all of you, Sammons said. 'We're having a meeting...'"

mons said. "We're having a meeting. Do what you want to. File a lawsuit if you want to. I'm fed up with the media. I'm fed up with the commissioners. I'm fed up with all this bull s---."

The mayor's choice of words prompted police chief Tommy Engle to say, "Mayor, they'll be no blackguarding at this meeting."

Sammons pointed his finger at

Engle said, "I'm fed up with you, too. Sheriff, escort the police chief from the meeting."

One female audience member commented, "I don't want to be at this meeting if there is going to be blackguarding."

Floyd County Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson was at Thursday's meeting, but before he could act, the city attorney calmed the situation.

Parker suggested commissioners "re-

notice" the meeting or postpone discussion on the agenda items until Thursday's regular meeting.

The mayor then said he was not notified of a special meeting held two weeks ago, which was called by commissioners Akers, Luther Johnson Jr. and David Boyd.

Parker said the items to be dis-

(See 'Fed-up', page seven)

New board named, but none from mountains

An eight-member board that will oversee community colleges and vocational schools was appointed Monday by Governor Paul Patton, but Eastern Kentucky apparently will have no seat at the table.

The closest regent to the Eastern Kentucky area appointed to the board is Martha Johnson of Ashland. Johnson was nominated for the position by the University of Kentucky.

The other seven appointees to the Kentucky Community and Technical College System (KCTCS) board are John R. Banks Jr. of Hopkinsville; Richard A. Bean of Louisville; Michael S. Hoseus of Lexington; Lorna B. Littrell of Hendersonville; Diana L. Lutz of Madisonville; Cynthia L. Read of Louisville; and Marvin D. Russow of Mt. Washington.

The regents will govern 13 of the University of Kentucky's community colleges and the 25 Kentucky Tech schools. The regents will be sworn in on Monday, July 21, in Frankfort.

Six more board members, representing student, staff and faculty from the community colleges and tech schools will be chosen in a process to be determined by the KCTCS Board.

The board, established by an act of the state's general assembly, will also hire an executive director whose job will include setting new policies for management of the schools.

Prior to the appointment of the board, state community colleges were under the direct control of the University of Kentucky. The state vocational-technical schools were separate entities.

Under the reform measure enacted by the legislature, the two systems will be consolidated under the guidance of the KCTCS board.



Architect Chris Chrisman explained concept options as commissioners considered changes in the design of a recreational complex Friday. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

Hilltop plans have it all; but costs

by Janice Shepherd
Managing Editor

An architect's rendering of a mountaintop recreational complex in Prestonsburg was given close scrutiny by the Prestonsburg Properties Advisory Commission at a meeting Friday at the Mountain Arts Center.

Chris Chrisman, an architect with Summit Engineering, presented two concepts of facilities placement on the mountaintop complex. The two options showed various sports fields; volleyball, basketball, and tennis courts; walking and jogging tracks; a rollerblade/skateboard facility; children's playground areas; picnic shelter areas;

parking; and concessions.

Chrisman also discussed a proposal to build a senior citizens activity center that he envisioned as "set in formal gardens with strolling paths and benches" and a civic center.

Chrisman advised the group to consider locating a middle or elementary school on the site to take advantage of the athletic and recreational facilities at the complex.

Chrisman's first rendering showed a road that circled the athletic portion of the recreational complex. A parking area was on the left side of the roadway and visitors would have to cross the road to

(See Hilltop, page five)

A mountain of dreams

According to an architect's program statement, the mountaintop recreational facilities complex proposed by the city of Prestonsburg may contain:

- Regulation high school football field with fixed, permanent seating 2,000 on the home side and 500 in portable bleachers on the visitors side. Locker rooms with showers and restrooms, a ticket booth, concession area and press box are to be included in the homeside seating structure.
- Regulation high school soccer field with portable bleachers

for 500.

- Regulation track and field facilities will feature a 400-meter, six-lane synthetic surface track that will ring the football field. Areas for field events such as pole vault, high jump, long jump, and triple jump could be held behind the end zone.
- Regulation high school baseball field with bleacher seating for 500, including a press box and home and visitor dugouts.
- Men's and women's softball

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Admissions

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wide" and made the statement "in a deep voice."

Then Risner asked, "Will they give me the death penalty for this?" Ferrell testified.

The jailer also testified that Mullins, another of the suspects, said that the victims were crying before they died and that he told them to "shut up."

Mullins and Risner are among six Kentuckians charged with the murders of the Lillelids and the attempted murder of Peter Lillelid, the only survivor of the attack.

The shootings occurred when the family was returning to their home at Powell, near Knoxville, from a Jehovah's Witness assembly in Johnson City.

Two days after the killings, the suspects made an unsuccessful attempt to enter Mexico in the Lillelids' van.

Ferrell wrote in an April 8 incident report that Mullins told him, "We stole that car to go to Mexico. We went through them people's pockets for money for gas. I didn't think they was dead. I didn't want them kids dead."

According to Ferrell's report, while Mullins was going through the booking process, he said, "Joe made me do it. Joe killed them people. I had a gun, but I didn't use it."

But after about five or six minutes, Mullins began crying and talking again, the report stated.

Reading from his report of that day, Ferrell testified Monday that Mullins said of the victims: "They were crying. I told 'em to shut up. I wasn't on no drugs. I 'member it all. I wish I hadn't done it. I wish we hadn't done that to them peo-

ple."

Preliminary Hearing Wednesday

The four adult suspects — Mullins, 19, Risner, 20, Natasha Wallen Cornett, 18, and Crystal Renea Sturgill, 18, both of Betsy Layne — face a preliminary hearing here on Wednesday in Sessions Court.

Juvenile transfer hearings for Jason Blake Bryant, 14, and Karen Rena Howell, 17, of Toler, will begin on Thursday.

Attorneys for Risner and Mullins argued that Ferrell's testimony should not be admitted because the suspects were never informed of their right to remain silent and to have an attorney.

Third Judicial District Attorney General Berkeley Bell acknowledged that the defense attorneys' statements were correct, but said the statements came out during the normal arrest procedure and should not be prohibited because they were voluntary.

Because Ferrell did not solicit the suspects' statements, General Sessions Court Judge James D. Carter decided to allow the testimony to be presented.

Suspects' Statements Released

In addition, statements from Cochise County Juvenile Detention Center officers that they wrote after speaking to Bryant were released to the news media on Monday.

Bryant told officers that he

"killed the family" in self-defense, the officers wrote.

According to the statements, Bryant told one officer that he was going to be robbed and another that he was going to be killed.

"Jason (Bryant) said that the guy started talking to him about God and he didn't want to hear it," one officer wrote on April 8. "He (Bryant) said that is how it started."

Judge Recuses Himself

Judge Carter became the subject of a motion when Assistant Public Defender Mike Walcher argued it was not proper for Carter to try the case because he already found "probable cause" when issuing the arrest warrants against the suspects.

Walcher, who represents Crystal Renea Sturgill, was the only attorney to request Carter's recusal, in other words his voluntary removal of himself from the case.

Carter said he regretted honoring the motion but felt it was in the

public's best interest.

"I didn't want any possible issues like this brought up down the road because I didn't recuse myself," Carter said after the hearing, adding that he talked to other judges before making the decision. "I felt like it was the only decision to make."

The rulings Carter has made so far in this case will stand, he said.

But another judge, who has not been named as of presstime today, will preside over the preliminary hearings on Wednesday.

Carter also ruled on Monday that the defendants will be allowed to wear "civilian clothes" at the hearing and that cameras will be allowed in the courtroom as long as no juvenile witness is photographed.

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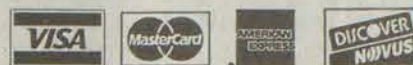
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Dreams

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fields will have limited bleacher seating and dugouts.

- Youth baseball area will have four separate fields; two for regulation Little League fields; one farm league field; and one Tee-ball field. Bleacher seating for 100 on Little League and 50 at the other two fields.

- Practice fields. Architect Chris Chrisman recommends that four additional fields should be available for practice sessions.

- Tennis area will contain six regulation hard surface courts.
- Outdoor basketball section will have two regulation, full court, and hard surface outdoor courts.

- Sand volleyball courts. Two regulation sand volleyball courts will be located on a flat open area near the picnic shelters.

- Rollerblade/skateboard facility will include a large, hard surface skating area with ramps, hard pipes and other elements.

- Children's playground will be located next to the picnic shelters.

- Picnic section will hold four moderate size and two large shelters.
- Walking/jogging trail. In addition to the 400M track around the football field, the complex will boast a 3.05 mile walking and jogging trail woven through the various recreational facilities.

- Parking. About 1,000 parking spaces will be available.

- Senior Citizens Activity Center will be located adjacent to the recreational facilities. The center should be about 3,000 square feet and include an activities/dining room, kitchen, lounge, office, and restrooms.

- Civic Center. No detailed proposal yet for this facility, but architect said the center will need at least ten acres that offers good access to the main road.

- School. No detailed proposal is available for this facility. Approximately five to six acres of land is needed.

Editor's Note: The above facilities and their descriptions are an architect's conception of the recreational complex and have yet to be approved or finalized by the Prestonsburg Properties Commission.

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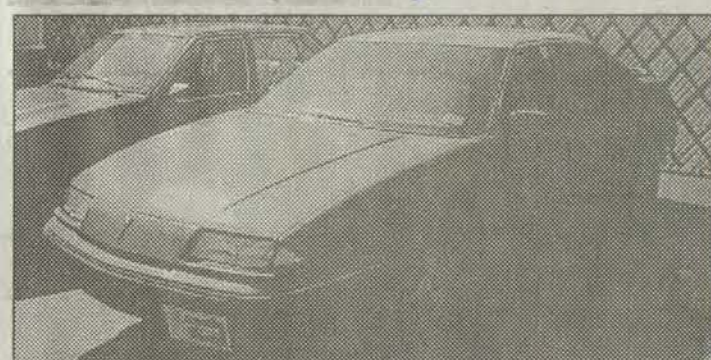
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NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Maple Ridge Mining Corporation, P.O. Box 219, Harold, Kentucky 41635, has applied for Phase III bond release on Permit Number 836-5177 which was last issued on February 20, 1997. Increment No. 1 covers an area of approximately 6.66 acres and Increment No. 2 covers an area of approximately 5.00 acres located 0.9 miles southeast of Blue Moon in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.2 miles east from Meade Branch Road's junction with Little Mud Creek Road and located on Meade Branch of Little Mud Creek. The latitude is 37° 30' 23" and the longitude is 82° 41' 03."

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 1 of this permit is a Kentucky Bond Pool in the amount of twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000.00). One hundred percent (100%) of the original bond amount of \$12,000 is included in this application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 2 of this permit is a Kentucky Bond Pool Bond in the amount of six thousand, three hundred dollars (\$6,300.00). One hundred percent (100%) of the original bond amount of \$6,300 is included in this application for release.

Reclamation work performed for Increment No. 1 and 2 includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or infor-

mal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by August 29, 1997.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for Tuesday, September 2, 1997 at 9:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1410. This hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by August 29, 1997.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Maple Ridge Mining Corporation, P.O. Box 219, Harold, Kentucky 41653, has applied for Phase I bond release on Increment No. 3 of Permit Number 836-5137 which was last issued on December 10, 1996. The application covers an area of approximately 9.09 acres located 0.8 mile south of Blue Moon in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.6 mile southwest from Morgan Fork Road's junction with Little Mud Creek Road and located 10 feet south of Morgan Fork Road. The latitude is 37° 29' 33" and the longitude is 82° 42' 21."

The bonds now in effect for Increment No. 3 are certificates of deposits and Kentucky Bond Pool bonds in the amount of forty-one thousand, two hundred dollars (\$41,200.00). Approximately sixty percent (60%) of the original bond amount of \$41,200 posted for Increment No. 3 is included in this application for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No. 3 includes backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in October 1996 and trees planted in December 1996.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by August 29, 1997.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for September 2, 1997 at 9:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by August 29, 1997.

INVITATION TO BID

The Floyd County Board of Education is requesting "Sealed Bids" for the construction of a hand-capped ramp located at Betsy Layne High School Football Field.

The bids will be opened at the Maintenance Department, located at the Old Allen Elementary School, Friday, July 18, 1997, at 10:00 a.m.

Drawings and specifications may be obtained from Gregory Adams, Director of Facilities, 23 Martin Street, Allen, KY 41601 (Old Allen Elementary school), 874-2049.

The Floyd County Board of Education has the right to reject any and all bids.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Maple Ridge Mining Corporation, P.O. Box 219, Harold, Kentucky 41653, has applied for Phase III bond release on Permit Number 836-5160 which was last issued on March 17, 1992. The application covers an area of approximately 2.98 acres located 0.9 mile south of Blue Moon in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.7 mile west from Morgan Fork Road's junction with Little Mud Creek Road and located 0.9 mile north of Lower Wolfpen Branch of Little Mud Creek. The latitude is 37° 29' 39" and the longitude is 82° 42' 06."

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Reclamation work performed includes establishment of the post-mining land use.

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A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for September 2, 1997 at 9:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by August 29, 1997.

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Liberty of thought is the life of the soul—Voltaire

Excuse us for not apologizing

by Scott Perry

As you may have noticed, we have a great passion for open government.

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Letters may be sent to Editor, The Floyd County Times, P.O. Box 391, Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

Letters may be edited for clarity and length.

A letter from Ben...

Editor:

I am eight years old and Mr. Gene Davis was my old principal. I was really upset about what you were talking about Mr. Davis. I don't think you are being fair when you write about Mr. Davis. He is doing what he thinks is best for the kids of Floyd County, just like he did the best for the kids at Prater Elementary. Mr. Davis is trying to clean up someone else's mess, and I think the board members and this paper are acting like babies. Mr. Davis is doing his best; give him a chance, and the kids in the Floyd County Schools will benefit.

Ben Chaney
Dana

...Another from Ben's mom

Editor:

I am Ben's mother, my child was so upset after he heard some comments on the radio and some things that he heard my husband and I discussing from the paper that he was in tears. He could not understand why everyone is attacking a man that he looks up to and admires. I hope you print his letter because it came from his heart.

Angela Chaney
Dana

Tolerance of others' ways is good and necessary

Editor:

Some people today, mostly far-right groups claim there is a so-called cultural war going on. There's not.

What the religious right is really pushing is an outdated, intolerant philosophy on the ignorant. They see tolerance of other people's ways as an evil. I see it as good and necessary in a reasonable society.

They see everything as "us verses them." They think they have a patent on morals—and so they want to impose their will on others—that's the one and only truth of the so-called cultural war.

Clarence Kidd
Dana

Kentucky has no tolerance for snake oil peddlers

Editor:

For over a hundred years charlatans of many types have rode into Eastern Kentucky with some scheme to save us Hillbillies.

The most recent snake oil salesman is a "Moving Picture Show Actor" named Woody Harrelson.

Harrelson's pitch is that there is a great demand for more clothing and more rope and that hemp grown in Kentucky will meet this demand and make us all rich! Thus the bait, now the switch. First we must change our laws and correct our "confusion" about marijuana and hemp, according to this "renowned Hollywood agronomist."

But wait. Is there really such a great need for more clothing and rope? Look at the thousands of yard sales, thrift and charity stores and your own closet and tell me that we desperately need a hemp shirt to go in there. Also we don't rope as many steers as we used to and we haven't hung anybody in quite a while (although there seems to be much support to revive the latter).

No, this isn't about rope! It's about dope! And all the

players know it! We Hillbillies are offended by Harrelson's snake oil, opportunities that prey on people they feel are gullible and susceptible to celebrity manipulation.

They have capitalized on the stereotype of a bunch of ignorant Hillbillies who will be an easy mark. Market demographics, I think they call it. Hucksters like Harrelson actually tell you what they really think of you by virtue of what they are selling and the manner in which they present it. In this case, deception.

It's time that we expose Huckster Harrelson's charade and deception. "The King is wearing no clothing, hemp, or otherwise!"

Harrelson and his minions know that hemp is essentially indistinguishable from marijuana and to legalize hemp is a de facto legalization of marijuana. They also know that Kentuckians would not vote to legalize dope, thus the master plan to dress it up as something else, and sell it under a new label. Bait, switch, dope, deception, and deceit is something Hollywood is noted for, but Kentuckians know better and deserve better.

I suggest Huckster Harrelson take his show to Costa Rica where he makes his home. It seems the climate laws and tax shelters are more suitable to him there. I'm sure they could benefit from his "agricultural expertise."

As we Hillbillies know, we learn nothing from the second kick of a mule. How many more kicks are we going to take from outside hucksters that have "a deal for us?" First it was our coal, then timber, then a place to dump New York garbage and now Hollywood trash.

No, the solution to our economic and social problems does not lie in the quick-fix of a dope plant, nor from yet another self-appointed "expert" such as actor Harrelson.

We must do it ourselves, using hard work, our own ingenuity and determination. We are the only ones that we can trust with our children's welfare and their future and the future of Kentucky.

Not snake oil or hemp oil hucksters from Hollywood or anywhere else. The show's over—Now, let's get back to work.

Jim Kelly
Flat Gap

Your family pets need protection from heat

Editor:

As the summer officially arrives and the weather heats up, the Humane Society of the United States (HSUS) reminds readers that pets, like people, can suffer from the heat—especially when left in a parked car.

Like their owners, companion animals enjoy the opportunities warm weather provides for outdoor activities. However, the needless suffering, and occasional death, of an animal imprisoned in a car on a warm day is a tragedy that is entirely preventable.

On a hot and humid day, the temperature inside a car rises very quickly. On an 85-degree day, for example, the temperature inside a car with the windows open slightly will reach 102 degrees within 10 minutes. After 30 minutes, the temperature will reach 120 degrees. On warmer days, it will get even hotter.

A dog's normal body temperature is 101.5 to 102.2 degrees. A dog can withstand a body temperature of 107 to 108 degrees for only a very short time before

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Coffee Break

by Scott Perry

Got a dress rehearsal of sorts this week for things to come as our youngest lit out for 4-H Camp for the first time.

Being fairly well-traveled at age 10, he had no particular reservations about leaving home for the week, which made things a bit easier for mom, who is known to get choked up on such occasions.

Have to admit to having a twinge of emotion ourselves at the notion of our last-born becoming so independent so soon.

Of course one pass by his room, which we're sure is carpeted...if only we could find it, and the feeling passes rather quickly.

About this time next year, though, we'll put our parental wits to the test as our first-born goes off to college and life in the real world.

Now would be a good time to buy stock in Kleenex.

We'd just about guarantee a

return on your investment.

We can offer no similar assurances about your investment in quality education for your kids, but we did get something of an eye-opener in that area this week.

Tagged along to the Kentucky School Boards Association (KSBA) summer conference last weekend in Lexington, where we expected the good 'ol boys (and girls) to gather in good 'ol boy fashion.

Surprise, surprise.

There are actually quite a few school board members around the state who are genuinely interested in learning about their roles and responsibilities, as our observations of conference attendance indicated.

On the opposite side of that coin, it was interesting to note, too, that some troubled systems in our area had no representatives at the conference.

Since we didn't get to sit in on any of the discussions, we can't say how effective they were. But we can say this...if you weren't there, you didn't learn anything.

Maybe that's why in some systems, improvements are slower to arrive.

The KSBA conferences are held to provide the means for school board members to obtain continuing education credits, which they are required by law to accumulate.

If elected members don't get the required number of hours each year, they can be ruled ineligible to serve.

The system for awarding those credit hours is so easy to abuse, though, the whole process borders on irrelevance.

Board members are on the honor system when it comes to accounting for the classes and conferences they attend. We are aware of no policing

process which guarantees that a board member actually attended sessions they've been given credit for and, we suspect, there are a few who are more ornery than they are honorable.

In other words, some board members can play hooky and still get the hours they must to retain their eligibility.

That's not fair to others who attend the classes or to board members' constituents, who expect their elected representatives to stay up to date on their responsibilities.

Oh yeah, it's illegal, too.

If the KSBA started calling roll at its conferences, there'd be less chance for cheating. They owe that much to members who do put forth the time and effort to meet their legal obligations.

We support Governor Patton's idea that no region should get a preference on a new board that will oversee

community college and vo-tech schools in Kentucky.

But the Guv was overprotective of that philosophy when he appointed no Eastern Kentuckians to that eight-member board Monday.

With community colleges in Prestonsburg and Hazard and a Kentucky Tech campus in Paintsville, you'd think our region would deserve, and require, a seat at the table.

We got none, though, and must rely, we suppose on an appointee from Ashland to represent our interests.

No discredit to her or any others named to the board, but if our region is to be self-reliant, educationally and economically, we should have someone familiar with our needs and goals helping to make our plans.

No region should get preference, on that much we agree.

But every region ought to have some input. We're on the outside, looking in...again.

Review

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not use a litigation discussion to "go back and talk about matters" not allowed under the law.

As for all members receiving written notification of the meeting, Ray Brackett said notice was delivered to board member B.J. Newsome's home on Thursday, but his wife refused to receive the letter.

Mullins, who witnessed the attempted service, said Newsome's wife would not accept the notice because her husband was out of town.

Board member Eddie Patton, who has challenged actions taken at three special meetings because he did not receive written notification, said he would abstain from any discussions because of Newsome's notice being refused.

Jerry Patton said Newsome would have the right to challenge the meeting. In order to avoid such issues in the future, Patton recommended board members give 48-hour notice of special meetings. He added that special meetings should only be called in the event of an

emergency.

The board called the special meeting, in part, to abolish seven new central office positions that were created in violation of state law, according to state officials. State education officials said the board must have prior approval for the creation of jobs and expenditures because the district is under an emergency declaration because of a budget deficit.

Positions created were associate superintendent; manager of educational services; manager of support services; manager of federal programs; manager of finance and personnel; special education work study program coordinator and technology coordinator.

Officials have also said that recent school hirings were not pre-approved as required and there is some question about how many school personnel are legally employed.

Also Friday, an agenda item included the appointment of pupil personnel director Brent Allen, who

is in charge of school operations during the superintendent's absence, as temporary secretary to take minutes.

There could be some legal conflict regarding Allen's role as acting superintendent because under state law, a pupil personnel director, among other statutory responsibilities, is required to devote "his entire time to the duties of his office."

A call to Kevin Nolan, associate commissioner for the Department of Education's legal services, on Tuesday seeking comment on the arrangement was not returned.

Superintendent Davis was out of the district and was expected to return to his duties this week.

Board member Eddie Patton announced after Friday's gathering that a special meeting has been called for July 21 at 6:30 p.m. at Adams Middle School.

Agenda items include rescinding orders creating the seven new positions; a closed-door discussion pertaining to the operation of the office of the superintendent; and a closed session for litigation.

Hilltop

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enter the athletic section. Commissioners expressed concern about the safety of children crossing the road.

Chrisman recommended the second option, which puts a roadway through the middle part of the athletic section. "This allows more practice fields, and more space between them," Chrisman said.

Commissioner Estill Carter seemed to like the design, saying the second option puts parking closer to the various facilities.

With the second option, the parking area is moved to the middle of the facility and that concerned Prestonsburg Mayor Jerry Fannin.

"I don't like the parking in the middle. It is more dangerous to the kids because of people backing out of the parking spaces."

Fannin suggested moving the road to the right side of the complex in the first option and move the parking.

No decision was made on the

options.

Commissioner Fred Goble asked Chrisman to make a comparison on the size of the complex to the town. The athletic complex covers about 75 acres and recreational complex covers about 125 acres, Chrisman said. That figure does not include acreage for an 18-hole champi-

onship golf course and a golf training facility with a 9-hole par 3 course will also be built near the recreational complex.

"That's about the whole city of Prestonsburg, plus," Goble said.

Cost estimates for all of the facilities were not provided, nor was an overall cost estimate given.

Stabbing

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into a fight with Neeley because "he came up and asked my (girlfriend) something he shouldn't have."

Hamilton's girlfriend testified that Neeley propositioned her for a sexual encounter.

Hamilton said he hit Neeley with his fist, and then ran when he heard someone in the crowd say Neeley had a knife. Numerous other prosecution witnesses have testified that no weapon was used in that altercation and that no one else was involved in that fight.

However, defense witnesses have testified that Neeley was assaulted by at least two subjects with a brick or piece of board and a pool stick.

Prosecution witnesses have also

testified that Neeley stabbed Stumbo after he had fallen while trying to get away from the defendant, who had a knife.

"I saw (Stumbo) trying to get up the steps backward," bar owner Larry Moore testified Tuesday. "Cisco was after him and he stabbed him in the arm."

The prosecution rested its case against Neeley Tuesday morning, and the trial resumes today (Wednesday).

Maytown homecoming

Maytown homecoming will be held July 25-27. The homecoming is for anyone who ever attended the Maytown school or lived in Maytown.

Letters

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suffering irreparable brain damage, or even death.

Although many pet owners may not realize the danger of leaving their dogs in parked cars even for a few minutes, their ignorance may prove fatal. A brochure to educate others about the hazards of leaving pets in hot cars may be obtained from The HSUS. It can be placed in store windows or on bulletin boards. Send a business size, self-addressed, stamped envelope with your request for flyers to: "Hot Car," The HSUS Central States Regional Office, 800 West Fifth Avenue, Suite 110, Naperville, IL 60563.

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Local businesses support senior citizens center

Editor: Each month the McDowell/Minnie Area Senior Citizens Center honors our senior citizens who have birthdays during the month.

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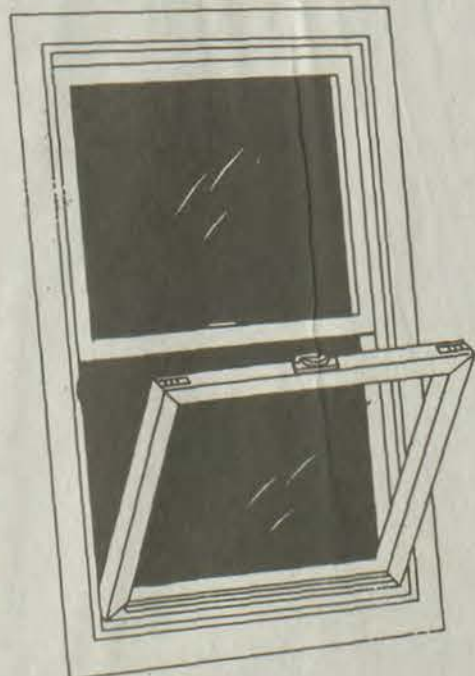
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Three arrested for shoplifting

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

Two Knott County women and a juvenile were arrested Friday after Prestonsburg police responded to a shoplifting complaint at Wal-Mart in Prestonsburg Village shopping

center.
Donna S. Messer, 39, of Hindman, her 17-year-old daughter, and Ruth Tackett, 29, of Topmost, were all charged with theft by unlawful taking for allegedly stealing merchandise from several area stores.

Messer was also charged with terroristic threatening for allegedly threatening, in the presence of officer Anthony Castle, to kill her daughter.
Merchandise from Wal Mart, the Dollar Store, Cato's and Martin's Department Store were reportedly recovered in Messer's vehicle in the shopping center parking lot. Officers also found numerous bottles of pills in the vehicle. Castle said other charges against the three could be forthcoming.

The three used large purses to hide the stolen items, Castle said.
Messer and Tackett were lodged in the Floyd County Jail Friday afternoon and released on a surety bond at approximately 7:45 p.m. Friday. The juvenile was taken to the Floyd County Juvenile Detention Center and it is not known if she was released because those records are not public.

On Tuesday, Castle did not have the exact value of the merchandise allegedly stolen, but he said he believed it to be over \$300, a felony.

Messer's vehicle was impounded and officers Mike Conn and Patrick Conley assisted at the scene.

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Allen council waits for bids and explanation

by Chris McDavid
Staff Writer

While the Allen City Council is waiting for bids on the city's sewer project, it is also seeking an explanation from the project's administrative officer, who apparently ignored the council's demands that the bid announcements be placed in a statewide paper.

County Times and The Lexington Herald-Leader.

"Legally, we didn't have to have it (advertised in another paper)," city attorney Brett Davis said Monday night.

"We need an explanation why," Woods said.

Ratliff was not present for Monday's meeting.

Parsons said the city has scheduled to open bids for the sewer project on July 23, although the city had not received any bids as of Monday night's meeting.

The council also discussed an Allen residence that may be a health and safety hazard to other residents.

Mayor Woods told the council that she would speak with the owners to see what could be done about the problem.

City clerk Bill Parson told the council at Monday's regular meeting that he has looked for a week and has not seen the advertisement for bids on the project in a statewide paper.

During a June 23 meeting, the council authorized administrative officer Eric Ratliff, with the Big Sandy Area Development District, to advertise the project in The Floyd

Jail officials responded to inmate's grievance

by Chris McDavid
Staff Writer

Floyd County jail officials responded to a grievance filed by an inmate and confirmed that the facility was overcrowded, but denied that any of the prisoners were being mistreated.

Webb also admitted that each cell is limited to one roll of toilet paper at a time because some of the prisoners use the paper and soap to create sculptures.

Webb said the prisoner who filed the grievance and reported the conditions at the jail was upset because the television in his cell was taken away.

"He's just a discontented inmate who got put in jail over the weekend for fighting," the jailer said.

Chief deputy jailer Damon Newsome and deputy jailer Allred Newsom Jr. said the television was taken out of the cell because prisoners cut a section out of the electric cord for a cell-made tattoo machine.

The tattoo machine was confiscated from the cell while inmates ate their breakfast on the basketball court and jail officials searched the room.

The tattoo machine was constructed out of jail-issued toothbrushes, tape, ink pens, a staple, a motor from a Walkman, and a portion of the television's electric cord, the deputy jailer said.

"Their television was taken away because the way they spliced the cable — it was a fire hazard," Newsome said.

The jailer also added that the device being used for tattooing was a health hazard for the inmates.

"When you have more than 130 inmates and only one complaining — there can't be much of a problem," Webb said.

The inmate reported to The Times that prisoners were sleeping on the floors, which were flooded with water, because the facility was overcrowded; eating breakfast on the basketball court; and rationed only one roll of toilet paper for each cell.

Jailer Roger Webb admitted that the facility had the capacity for 115 inmates and it had lodged 135 prisoners for a brief time.

"Every jailer I've talked to says he's overcrowded," Webb said Monday.

Webb said the county is benefiting from the number of prisoners at the jail. "We got 80 state inmates," he said, "and we're bringing in more than \$2,100 per day from state revenue."

As for prisoners sleeping on the floor, it was observed that some of the inmates were sleeping on the floor but each of the inmates were on mattresses.

Webb denied the complaining inmate's accusations that the jail's showers were constantly on and flooding the floor. "None of them are sleeping on the floor in water," he said.

The jailer admitted that sometimes a few of the showers stick, "but not enough to flood the floor."

'Fed-up'

(Continued from page one)

cussed at the special meeting could wait until the commission's regular meeting. He advised commissioners against calling special meetings unless it was for discussion of an issue that could not wait until regular meetings.

Commissioner Jimmy Little also chimed in that he had not been notified of the meeting called by Commissioners Akers, Johnson and Boyd.

Heeding their attorney's advice, Thursday's special called meeting was canceled. Discussion items on the agenda were streets and sidewalks; fire department (telephone); police department; city clerk; part-time worker; financial status end of June; and take action to rebid the swimming pool project.

All commissioners were present Thursday.

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Floyd County woman selected for KIWSA

Susan Compton, director of Federal Programs for the Floyd County School System, has been selected to the Kentucky Institute for Women in School Administration. She was among 20 women administrators who were screened from over a hundred applicants statewide to participate for the 97/98 academic year. Ms. Compton was recommended by several administrators throughout the commonwealth, as well as endorsed by superintendent, Gene D. Davis. This institute is sponsored by the Kentucky Association of School Administrators to support women for higher leadership roles throughout the state. Susan has recently completed two years of doctoral study at the University of Kentucky towards a degree in instruction and administration with an emphasis on educational admin-



Susan Compton

istration and leadership. She was also selected to the Kentucky leadership academy this spring that is sponsored through the Kentucky Department of Education.

Garden Phil-osophy

If you're planting your garden by the phases of the moon and signs of the zodiac, here's the information you'll need for the upcoming week.

MOON LIGHT NOW

The moon in the light phase now will remain there until the full moon Saturday, at 10:20 p.m. Thus for the remainder of this planting week, only those veggies that produce above the ground should be planted.

Then beginning Sunday and continuing until the new moon on August 3, plant only those veggies that produce beneath the ground.

TODAY IS GREAT PLANTING DAY

Today is a great planting day with the sign in Scorpio (the secrets). So, if you have planting

to do, quit reading, lay down the paper and head out to the garden since today you may plant anything that produces above the ground.

THEN SO-SO DAYS...

But beginning Wednesday and continuing through next Monday we find a series of so-so planting days—neither good nor bad. Wednesday and Thursday the sign is in Sagittarius (the thighs), followed by Friday and Saturday

under the influence of Capricorn (the knees), and concluding Sunday and Monday, July 20-21, under the influence of Aquarius (the legs).

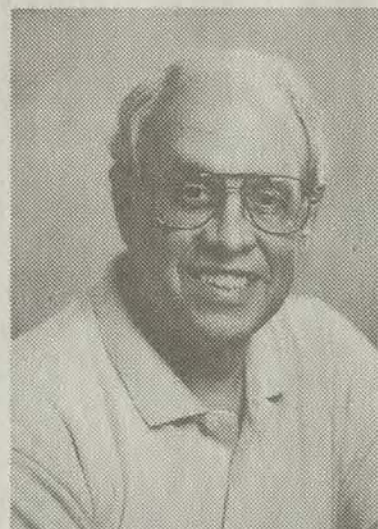
So if you have planting to do and you want to get it done when the signs are most favorable, DO IT TODAY! After today the next most favorable days for planting, according to the signs of the zodiac, will be Tuesday and Wednesday, July 22-23, when the sign is in Pisces (the feet) and the moon has moved to the dark phase. On these days you may plant anything that produces beneath the ground.

AN EYE TOWARD FALL

It pains me more than you'll ever know to mention this, but fall is on the way while summer's just three weeks old. While we're

enjoying the warm, sunny days, if we're gardening we must remember the days will soon be getting shorter and the ground cooling.

All that to say, if you're still putting out warm-weather crops—and believe me there's plenty of time for many of them—just take note of the "days to maturity" notation and don't plant something that has no chance of making it to your table.



by Phillip W. Case

Arnold Clark

Arnold Clark, 83, of Auxier Road, Prestonsburg, died Monday, July 14, 1997, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, following an extended illness.

Born May 6, 1914 at Endicott, he was the son of the late Richard "Dick" and Maude Spears Clark. He was a welder, formerly employed by Princess Elkhorn Coal Company. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Prestonsburg.

Survivors include his wife, Ruby Oppenheimer Clark; one daughter, Barbara Ann Burchett of Prestonsburg; two brothers, Clyde Clark and Tom Ed Clark, both of Prestonsburg; one sister, Norma Sue Pigg of Prestonsburg; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be Thursday, July 17, at 11 a.m., at the First United Methodist Church in Prestonsburg, with David Fultz and Dr. Harold Dorsey officiating.

Burial will be in the Porter Cemetery in Prestonsburg, under the direction of Carter Funeral Home, Prestonsburg.

Visitation will be at the funeral home today, from 1-9 p.m.

Serving as active pallbearers will be Phillip Haywood, John B. Clark, John T. Clark, Dennis Stephens, Paul P. Burchett, Albert Burchett, Charlie Oppenheimer, and Richard Oppenheimer.



The Word for the Week

I'LL DO IT MYSELF

I'll do it myself, thank you. I have the power to choose Christ, and I have the power to reject Christ. Don't tell me anything different.

Hm...The Bible says faith is the gift of God (Ephesians 2:8). Jesus said, "Unless one is born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God" (John 3:3). In other words, before a person can even see the things of God's kingdom, God must give that person a new heart and a new spirit. 1 John 5:1 says, "Whoever believes that Jesus is the Christ is born of God." This means when a person exercises faith in Christ, he or she is already indwelt by the Holy Spirit. Why? "Unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the Kingdom of God" (John 3:5).

This is crucial. Do you think you have the native ability in and of yourself to place faith in Christ? Does your faith come from your un-renewed heart? Is your faith therefore something virtuous you do? Watch out! You are basing your salvation upon a righteous act you perform, on something good you can do.

Beyond doubt, people must come to Christ and trust in Him. But there is no true faith and no new life without first being born again. That's why Jesus says, "You must be born again" (John 3:7).

Salyer visited Prestonsburg

Marcella Salyer, Floyd County's representative to Governor Paul Patton's Office of Constituent Services, was in Prestonsburg Friday, July 11, to get input from Floyd Countians on various issues.

Salyer is a native and resident of Magoffin County, where she is the former deputy county judge. This is her first year representing Kentucky citizens in Frankfort.

Shepherd named to Dean's List

Lowell DeWayne Shepherd, a son of Lowell and Melvia Shepherd of Hueysville, was named to the Dean's Distinguished List for the spring term.

Edith Mae Prater

Edith Mae Prater, 84, of Garrett, died Monday, July 14, 1997, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, following an extended illness.

Born May 10, 1913 in Floyd County, she was the daughter of the late John and Elizabeth Ratliff Prater. She was preceded in death by her husband, Muncie Prater.

Survivors include five sons, Clarence Prater and Robert Prater, both of Leeville, Louisiana, and David Prater, Larry Prater and Okie Prater, all of Garrett; two stepsons, Harold Prater of Denver, Colorado, and Clyde Prater of Leeville, Louisiana; one daughter, Wanda Foster of Garrett; one stepdaughter, Bethal Allen of Chicago, Illinois; one sister, Geraldine Bailey of Salyersville; six grandchildren, 11 step-grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Thursday, July 17, at 11 a.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home Chapel, with Jerry Manns officiating.

Burial will be in Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Bertha Turner Holbrook

Bertha Turner Holbrook, 98, of McDowell, died Friday, July 11, 1997, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital, following a long illness.

Born July 29, 1898 at McDowell, she was the daughter of the late Ben Franklin and Lucy Hopkins Hall. She was a member of the Old Beaver Regular Baptist Church for 67 years.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Thomas J. Turner, and her last husband, Jesse Holbrook.

Survivors include four daughters, Olive Rose Hall of McDowell, Virginia Lea Hall of Weeksbury, Ruby Jane Pack of Mt. Sterling, and Connie Gail Crissman of Amelia, Ohio; 18 grandchildren and 30 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, July 14, at 11 a.m., at the Old Beaver Regular Baptist Church at Minnie, with the Old Regular Baptist Church ministers officiating.

Burial was in the Lucy Hall Cemetery at McDowell, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

Serving as pallbearers were Steve Pack, Gary Pack, Alan Pack, Mark Pack, John Thomas Pack, Stan Pack, Kevin Pack, Jimmy Darrell Hall, Ricky Hall, Donnie Hall and Terry Crissman.

Marlene Webb

Marlene Webb, 45, of State Road Fork, Prestonsburg, died Saturday, July 12, 1997, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg.

Born March 31, 1952, she was the daughter of Roscoe and Eva Lee Salyer.

In addition to her parents, she is survived by her husband, Billy Webb; two sons, Martin Webb and William J. Webb, both at home; three sisters, Christine Poe of Royalton and Nadine Farris and Lorine Salyer, both of Salyersville; and two brothers, Jonathon Salyer of Royalton and James Aruther Salyer of Indiana.

Funeral services were Monday, July 14, at 11 a.m., at the Salyersville Funeral Home Chapel, with Allen Tolliver officiating.

Burial was in the Hackworth-Webb Cemetery at Ivyton, under the direction of Salyersville Funeral Home.

Louise S. May

Louise S. May, 95, of Langley, died Thursday, July 10, 1997, at her residence, following a short illness.

Born June 6, 1902 in Ashland, she was the daughter of the late Henry and Nellie Snoddy. She was a member of the May Memorial United Methodist Church in Langley. She was preceded in death by her husband, George May.

Survivors include one son, Donald G. May of Satellite Beach, Florida; one daughter, Pauline May Ousley of Langley; one brother, Theodore J. Snoddy, Florida; one sister, Thelma Kersey of Sevierville, Tennessee; four grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services were Sunday, July 13, at 11 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, with clergyman Roy Harlow officiating.

Burial was in the May Cemetery at Langley, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

Serving as pallbearers were Rusty Wallace, Melvin May, Byron May, Todd May, Gary Ousley, Chris Ousley and Hubert Halbert.

Bill Hinton

Bill Hinton, 80, of Allen, died Friday, July 11, 1997, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin, following an extended illness.

Born October 21, 1916 at Allen, he was the son of the late Galloway and Martha Lafferty Hinton. He was a disabled truck driver and veteran of World War II.

He is survived by one brother, John Hinton of Florida.

Funeral services were Monday, July 14, at 1 p.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home Chapel, with Bud Crum from the Martin House of Worship Church officiating.

Burial was in the Dwale Community Cemetery, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Pallbearers for Herald

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of William Jeffrey Herald were Ricky Cissell, Wayne Guenther, Duane Smith, Nick Cooley, Chris Patton, Michael Herald, Tim Herald and Mike Whitt.

Katie Chapman Campbell

Katie Chapman Campbell, 82, of Riverview Manor Nursing Home, Prestonsburg, died Monday, July 14, 1997, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, following an extended illness.

Born June 7, 1915 at Brushy, she was the daughter of the late Frank and Becky Hubbard Chapman. She was a member of the Third Avenue Freewill Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Harris "Peg" Campbell of Prestonsburg.

Funeral services will be Thursday, July 17, at 2 p.m., at the Carter Funeral Home Chapel, with Manford Fannin officiating.

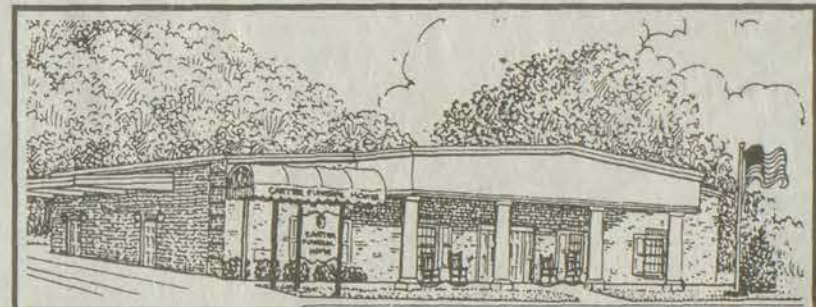
Burial will be in the May Cemetery in Prestonsburg, under the direction of Carter Funeral Home, Prestonsburg. Visitation will be at the funeral home, after 10 a.m. tomorrow, Thursday.



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Kentucky Life encore samples state's finest barbecue; features traditional arts and crafts

Kentucky's world-famous barbecue and famed Eastern Kentucky crafts are on display in an encore edition of Kentucky Life, airing on a KET at 8:30 p.m., CT Saturday, July 26. Hosted by Byron Crawford, the program also contains a profile of Boone County's Scott Summers, a national champion in motorcycle racing.

First, Kentucky Life visits Owensboro, the Western Kentucky city that has proclaimed itself the "Barbecue Capital of the World" and the host city for the annual International Barbecue Festival. The program makes a stop at the Moonlight Barbecue restaurant, known far and wide for its bountiful buffet and its barbecued mutton.

Next, Crawford visits the tiny Eastern Kentucky town of David, where community members make and sell Appalachian crafts. In a program sponsored by the St.

Vincent Mission in David, local women are finding that the making of traditional household items and crafts—at one time made out of necessity for use in their own homes—are now a source of income.

Finally, Kentucky Life presents a profile of Scott Summers of Boone County, an eight-time national champion in cross-country motorcycle racing. A professional racer, Summers competes internationally and makes frequent appearances on ESPN.

Viewers can find out more about Kentucky Life and other KET productions by visiting KET's Web site (<http://www.ket.org>). Kentucky Life, a KET production made possible in part through a grant by the Honorable Order of Kentucky Colonels, is produced and directed by Joy Flynn. Ellen Ballard is writer and associate producer.

Segment producers for this program are David Brinkley, Kelli Summers

and Treg Ward. The executive producer is Craig Cornwell. Kentucky

Receives doctor of philosophy degree

Marie Akers Conn received her Doctor of Philosophy degree in Comprehensive Vocational Education from Florida State University in Tallahassee, Florida, on April 26.

Following the graduation ceremony, Dr. Hollie B. Thomas, chairman of the Department of Educational Leadership, and her major professor at Florida State, honored her with a reception at his home.

She is currently board eligible with the National Board of Certified Counselors and anticipates certification as a Certified Rehabilitation Counselor in the spring.

Before attending FSU she was a nursing instructor at Mayo State Vocational School's Practical Nursing Program in Pikeville for 20 years. She attained her BS in Vocational Education from Eastern Kentucky University, MS in

Vocational Education from Morehead State University, and her BSN from City University of Los Angeles.

Dr. Conn's husband, Randal Conn, and her parents, Elder and Mrs. Walter L. Akers, reside at Honaker.



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AUCTION NEWS

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J.E. Bramblett, CAI, Broker/Auctioneer of Re/Max Auction Group has announced his company has been contracted to offer at Absolute Auction, real and personal properties owned by Bob Hicks and Pat Filyaw of Elizabethtown.

"The dates are set for July 25th, 26th, and 27th." Bramblett said. "This will be the biggest auction in Central Kentucky and it's all right here in the city limits of Elizabethtown. We will also be bringing in our auctioneers from Atlanta and Cincinnati to assist in this monumental sale."

Included will be antiques of all types. Glassware, furniture, paintings, 128 clocks, and many one-of-a-kind pieces. There will be over 1,000 Civil War relics and 5 classic cars dating back to the 1930's.

Kent and Linda Bailey, the listing App. Auctioneers, indicate this auction will have something for everyone. Offered is a beautiful home on North Main, a business store next door, properties on Linda Lane and Guthrie Streets. In addition to the antiques, there will be a complete line of personal property, heavy equipment, tools, cars, a nice boat, and the list continues.

This will be an event this area will not forget for some time. All to the highest bidder with no reserve and no minimum. For more information, please contact Kent or Linda Bailey at Re/Max Auction Group, 2906 Ring Road, Elizabethtown, KY, 769-1655 or 1-800-624-1782.

Also you can pick up a brochure at Sonja Beauty Shop, Allen, Kentucky, 606-874-2720



50th wedding anniversary

Following church services Sunday, June 29, the congregation of the Emma United Methodist Church, along with friends and family members, celebrated the 50th wedding anniversary of Sam and Grace Leslie, with a dinner in the church fellowship hall. Sam and Grace enjoyed a song "Heaven Sent Me You," which was sung by Bud Carroll, and a poem "Celebration" which was written especially for them by Bonnie Walters.

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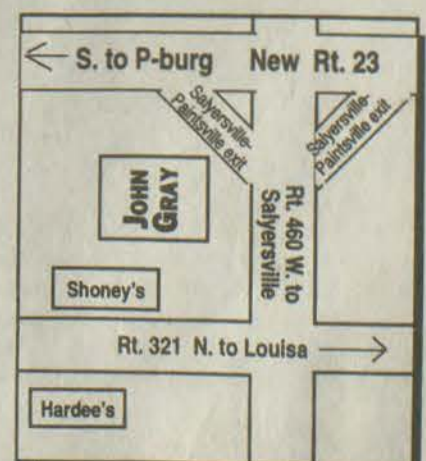
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MAC in national spotlight

by Janice Shepherd
Managing Editor

A national video will be made at the Mountain Arts Center Thursday, July 24, and the audience can be part of the taping.

Karen Peck and New River, a nationally-known southern gospel group, will record their next video at the Mountain Arts Center. The group has won numerous honors and lead singer, Karen Peck, has been named Favorite Female Soprano singer for the past two or three years by readers of *Singing News*, a leading southern gospel music magazine.

"This is a big budget video," John Rowsey, whose promotion company, Michael Shay Promotions, was instrumental in bringing the arts center to the video company's attention, said Friday evening before the start of the Summer Singing Convention at the MAC that featured the Hoppers, Kirk Talley, the McKeithens, New Journey, and the McDowell Family.

Three groups will make videos during the performance on July 24, Rowsey said. In addition to the Karen Peck video, Rowsey's group, New Journey, and Sincere, a gospel group from Huntington, West Virginia, that owns Harvest Gospel Studios, will record videos.

Some heavy-duty recording equipment will be brought to the arts center, and boom operators will keep the cameras out of the way of the audience, yet allow the audience to be part of the action in the video tape.

"Everyone in the audience, sooner or later in the evening, will be on camera," Rowsey said. "The camera can be everywhere and the audience won't know it. They want the audience to be into it."

Because the arts center has been rented by the groups making the video and because they hope to "pack the house," ticket prices have been lowered to half price, \$5 for advance tickets.

The concert will last about three hours, Rowsey said, with Karen Peck's portion lasting a full hour. Rowsey stressed that the taping will also be a concert for the audience, and he urged area residents to become part of the audience that night.

Rowsey's group, New Journey, will bring a 60-voice choir from Huntington, West Virginia to sing background for some of their songs. New Journey performed at the Mountain Arts Center this past Friday and previewed a few of their new songs for that audience.

The production company, Emerald Media Group, will bring a 21-member crew to film the event. The company will utilize the Mountain Arts Center's state-of-the-art equipment, including its capability, with additional equipment from the production company, to broadcast via satellite from the arts center.

Clips from the video will air on Gospel Music Television (GMT), a gospel station in Dollywood and at "all Christian television stations

across the nation," Rowsey said.

Rowsey said the arts center and Floyd County is a good place to produce the video.

"Because this is a new facility and an area that has not been over-exposed to (Karen Peck and New River), this is a good place to produce the video. All the major markets — Branson, Missouri, for example — have been done," Rowsey said. "We felt like there's a lot of gospel music lovers here."

"This (video taping) will open the door for the arts center," Rowsey added.

Greg Crum, program director at the arts center, said the center's state-of-the-art equipment is attracting attention among top-name performers in all aspects of the entertainment industry.

"Word of mouth (among performers and promoters) has gotten us an opportunity to do this video. It has gotten us a live recording for Rounder Records with III Tyme Out," Crum said.

That video will be on the market this fall, according to Crum.

Also because of the interest on the Internet regarding the Mountain Arts Center, the center has also attracted the interest of Kathy Mattea and the Nitty Gritty Dirt Band.

The videos for Karen Peck and New River, New Journey, and Sincere will be released in Louisville during the National Quartet Convention in September. Karen Peck's video will also feature a photo of the Mountain Arts Center on its back cover.



Newsome



Kimbler



Hansel

P'burg Rotary Club awards scholarships

On Thursday, June 12, the Prestonsburg Rotary Club awarded four \$500 scholarships. For a student to be eligible to win the Rotary Scholarship, an application must be completed and certain criteria must be met by the recipient.

The 1997 winners were Greta Halbert, Allen Central High School; John Bradley Kimbler, Betsy Layne High School; Kellie Brooke Hansel, Prestonsburg High School; and Donna Newsome, South Floyd High School.



Karen Peck and New River

Census Bureau to gather employment information

Data on characteristics of the nation's labor force including employment status, hours worked and earnings will be collected the week of July 13, when employees of the Commerce Department's Census Bureau visit the area to conduct the Current Population Survey (CPS).

By law, the Census Bureau keeps all information about sample respondents and their households strictly confidential.

"Participants in the CPS help paint a picture of our nation's labor force by providing employment and unemployment data used by federal and local policymakers

alike," said Susan Hardy, director of the Census Bureau's Charlotte regional office.

On August 1, the Department of Labor in Washington, D.C. will release labor force statistics for the United States based on the data provided by local households in the July CPS.

Local households selected for the survey receive a letter from Martha Farnsworth Riche, director of the Census Bureau, informing them of the survey.

Census Bureau interviewers carry an official identification card with their photograph and signature.

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Card of Thanks

The family of Ray Calhoun would like to thank Pastor Mansford Fannin of the Third Avenue Freewill Baptist Church. Also Elder Richard Crisp and Elder Sterling Bowling.

We will always remember your kindness and sympathy. During times like this, we realize how much family, friends and neighbors mean to us.

We also want to take time to thank the choir for their beautiful singing, and to thank our special singers, Elder Sterling Bowling and wife, Phyliss, Brother Warren Blanton, and Sister Maxine Rose.

We would like to thank everyone for the beautiful flowers, the food, and for the prayers that went out for our family. Thanks, also, for the services directed by the Floyd Funeral Home.

WIFE AND CHILDREN OF RAY CALHOUN

New Church in Tram, Kentucky

Mud Creek Baptist Church has moved to Tram, Kentucky, and is now called Riverside Baptist Church. Pastor Lonnie Badger cordially invites everyone to services.

Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.

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Sunday Evening Service at 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday Evening Service at 6:00 p.m.

Community Calendar

Calendar items will be printed as space permits

Editor's note: As a service to the many clubs and committees that meet in our community, the Floyd County Times' Community Calendar will post meeting and public service announcements. Articles for the Community Calendar must be submitted in writing to the Times no later than 5 p.m. Monday for Wednesday's publication or 5 p.m. Wednesday for Friday's publication. These cannot be taken over the telephone.

Patton reunion

The Patton reunion will be held July 19, beginning at 10 a.m., at the Allen Convention Center. Bring a favorite dish and soft drinks. This reunion is for all Pattons, not just one family. Call William Patton at 285-9527 for information.

Football Golf Scramble

Prestonsburg High School Football Boosters Golf Scramble will be held July 19, beginning at 8 a.m. at Jenny Wiley State Park. A \$10,000 prize will be awarded for a hole in one. All proceeds go to the Prestonsburg boys football team.

McDowell FRYSC activities

• July 21-25: Art, science and water activities, from 9-11 a.m. Activities such as water balloon toss, scavenger hunt, 3-D picss, etc.

Vacation Bible School

• July 13-18: Garrett First Baptist Church. Buses will run each night. Call pastor Randy Osborne at 358-9743 for information.

Big Sandy ADD speaker to address AARP meet

Freddie Goble, of the Big Sandy ADD, will be the guest speaker at a meeting of Jenny Wiley Chapter No. 3528, American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) to be held Friday, July 18, beginning at 5:30 p.m. with a dinner meeting at HRMC.

Cooksey & Jordan reunion

The Cooksey and Jordan reunion will be held July 26, beginning at noon at Falls Campground in Fallsburg.

Drinks will be furnished. Call Eva Collins at 886-2126, or Fannie Merritt at (606) 638-4733 for information.

Stumbo council to meet

The regular meeting of John M. Stumbo Elementary school-based decision making council will be held July 21, at 6 p.m. in the school library. All interested members of the public are invited to attend.

Positions still available

Positions are still available for Floyd Countians age-14 who are interested in attending 4-H Camp, July 28-August 1. Applications can

be picked up at the Floyd County Extension Office or call Chuck Stamper, 4-H agent, at 886-2668.

Maytown Homecoming

Maytown Homecoming will be held July 25-27.

Registration is July 25, from 4-8 p.m. at Maytown Methodist Church. Breakfast July 26, from 7:30-10 a.m. at Allen Central High School; program at May Valley School at 1 p.m.; dinner from 3-7 p.m. at ACHS; dance from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at ACHS. Sunday, continental breakfast before church at Maytown Methodist Church.

Winners to meet

The Winners, a cancer support group, meets the third Monday of every month, from 6-8 p.m. in the Leonard Lawson Cancer Care Center at Pikeville Methodist Hospital. Call 437-3500, ext. 3552 for more information.

Camp Shawnee

Camp Shawnee's summer sessions begins June 16. Camp continues June 23-27; June 30-July 4; July 7-11; July 14-18; and July 21-25. The fee is \$5. For details call, 285-5111; 349-6113; 874-2091; or 789-3148.

Prepared childbirth class

Prepared childbirth class for women between their sixth and seventh month of pregnancy, meets once per week for six weeks, from 7-9 p.m. at Pikeville Methodist

Hospital Education Center. Call 437-3938 to register.

Family reunion

A family reunion and a hog roast will be held July 19 at the home of Orville and Mary Belle (Stephens) Elliott in Warsaw, Indiana. For more information, call (219) 267-3385; (219) 269-1333; or (219) 658-9664.

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Kaikumba named Dean of Student Affairs

Prestonsburg Community College searched nationwide for a new dean of its student affairs, but found one fairly closely to home. PCC President Deborah L. Floyd announced the appointment last Monday of Sandra Kaikumba, Director of Minority Affairs and Adult Student Programs at Hazard Community College, as the new Dean of Student Affairs at PCC.

Kaikumba was one of three finalists who were recommended by an advisory committee at PCC and who were interviewed in April by faculty, staff, students, and administrators.

The other two finalists selected were Brenda Music, professor, counselor and Director of Financial Aid at PCC, who has been serving as Acting Dean of Student Affairs; and John Hogan, Director of Student Services and Enrollment Management at Ivy Tech State College-Whitewater in Richmond,

Indiana. As Dean of Student Affairs at PCC, Kaikumba said her mission "will be to provide the highest level of service to students at every step of their college careers, from admission to graduation, and to have that service provided by caring people who are sensitive to all of the students' needs. Without students, no institution of higher education can survive."

A native of Arkansas, Kaikumba is a graduate of Lincoln Land Community College in Springfield, Illinois. She earned a bachelor's degree in legal studies and a master's degree in public administration,



Sandra Kaikumba

both from the University of Illinois. She currently is working on a doctorate in educational policy studies and evaluation from the University of Kentucky.

She previously worked as an affirmative action specialist in the Illinois Office of Civil Rights and is certified by the American Bar Association as the legal assistant.

In her current position at Hazard Community College, Kaikumba has the responsibility for veteran's affairs, international affairs, minority affairs and adult student service programs, with special emphasis on admissions, financial aid and scholarships, recruitment, and retention, and transfer and career counseling.

She is the wife of Dr. Francis Kaikumba, Dean of Academic Affairs at HCC, who also serves as pastor of Mt. Zion Baptist Church at Pikeville.

She serves on numerous community boards, including the Executive Board of Directors of the Kentucky African-American Cultural Institute, the Hazard Area Performing Arts Advisory Council, and the Carl D. Perkins Job Corps Advisory Council. She is recording secretary of the Kentucky Association of Blacks in Higher Education Executive Board. At HCC, she is a member of the Marketing Action Team and the President's College Advancement Team.

She also is a member of the American Association of Community Colleges, the National Association for Female Executives, and the Kentucky Association of Institutional Research.

In addition, she received the 1997 NISOD Teaching Excellence Award and was chosen to represent HCC

with the 1997 University of Kentucky Community College System Leadership Academy.

Kaikumba's appointment is subject to confirmation by UK, which is expected soon, Dr. Deborah Floyd said. Final details are being negotiated, but the appointment is scheduled to take effect August 1.

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Dozens of drawings illustrate the trees' leaves or needles and their acorns, berries, seed pods, cones, etc. "What Tree Is That?" is organized to make it easy to identify trees in a simple step-by-step fashion.

"Helping people enjoy and appreciate trees is central to the educational mission of the Arbor Day Foundation," John Rosenow, the Foundation's president, said. "Being able to identify trees is important to knowing how to care for them and how to plant the right tree in the right place."

To obtain your free tree ID guide, send your name and address to "What Tree Is That?," The National Arbor Day Foundation, Nebraska City, NE 68410.

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Coasters and Rockin' Robin in concert at the MAC

It's oldies but goldies night at the Mountain Arts Center Friday, July 18, as the Coasters and Rockin' Robin perform in concert.

During the 1950s, the Coasters were one of the top groups in rock and roll and were a major influence on popular music. Some of their top hits included "Yakety Yak"; "Charlie Brown"; "Poison Ivy"; "Along Came Jones"; and "Love Potion #9."

The group took as its name The Coasters because it had developed on the west coast. The four original members of the group met in Los Angeles' black ghetto, where most of them grew up. They started singing in small clubs and soon came under the direction of the young songwriting team of Jerry

Leiber and Mike Stoller, who helped them get a recording contract from Spark Records in the early 1950s. At the time, they had some success under the name, The Robbins. They took their new name, The Coasters, in 1955 and began performing the watered-down blues material, which gained them a new-found popularity in the rock world.

Rockin' Robin began recording with oldies groups and became the backup band for the groups at the oldies shows. From its very first

concert, the headline acts were overwhelmed with the authenticity, attitude and the extra effort from the group.

Rockin' Robin got its start after the trio of Mike, Tim and Paul performed jazz in the Chicago area in 1978. They were regularly doing session work at Mike's recording studio in Northern Indiana, where they did jingle work and backed singers up for demos. On one occasion they were asked to do a demo for Danny & the Juniors. The session was a remake of The Chords

original version of "Shaboom." The trio, along with saxophonist Berry Sperti, and session guitarist Bill Boris were to become Rockin' Robin.

They became the band on TNN's Rock and Roll Palace with Wolfman Jack as the host. They now regularly tour all over the world, performing in England, Europe, Japan, South America, the Caribbean, and now, Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

The concert begins at 8 p.m. at the Mountain Arts Center. Tickets

are \$16 for seats in the lower section and \$14 for seats in the upper section. For ticket information, call 886-2623 or 1-888-622-2787.

More than 100 Floyd Countians expected at ECU this fall

Approximately 155 Floyd Countians are expected to be among the 15,000-plus students enrolled at Eastern Kentucky University this fall.

The deadline, for new, degree-seeking applicants to apply for admission is Wednesday, August 6.

Day and evening classes will start Monday, August 25, and registration is currently underway.

A slight increase in enrollment is expected over last fall, when 15,161 students were enrolled, according to Les Grigsby, ECU director of admissions.

About 1,900 Eastern students will attend classes at one of the University's three educational centers in Corbin, Manchester and Danville.

This year's incoming freshmen will register during Summer Orientation and will, for the first time, use the Colonel Connection, a telephone system implemented last year to simplify the lives of ECU students.

Besides registration, students also use the Connection regularly to check on housing, admissions and financial aid status, even their final semester grades.

As part of an ongoing effort to better meet the needs of students and potential employers, several academic programs have been modified.

Returning students will also note a modest increase in tuition, as set by the Kentucky Council on Postsecondary Education and approved by ECU Board of Regents.

Tuition for the 1997-98 academic year will be as follows: resident undergraduate, \$900, an increase of \$30; non-resident undergraduate, \$2,700, up \$90; resident graduate, \$990, an increase of \$30; non-resident graduate, \$2,970, up \$90.

But that's still among the lowest in Kentucky, Grigsby said, adding, "The combination of innovative academic programs, affordable costs and a competitive financial aid program make Eastern an educational bargain and a wise investment."

Many prospective students and their parents are surprised to learn that about 77 percent of ECU students receive some type of financial assistance, which last year totaled about \$47 million.

More than \$10 million of that amount was in the form of grants, which do not have to be repaid. Also, the maximum Pell Grant award for 1997-98 has been increased from \$2,400 to \$2,700.

ECU's 16 residence halls will open at 8 a.m., Wednesday, August 20.

For more information, call ECU's Division of Admissions at 606-622-2106, or toll-free in Kentucky, 1-800-465-9191. ECU's home page on the World Wide Web, which also contains valuable information, can be accessed at <http://www.ecu.edu>.

Stone-Lynch reunion

The Stone-Lynch reunion will be held at Stumbo Park, Allen, beginning at 11 a.m., August 9. All family members and friends of Joe Stone and Alice Lynch Stone are welcome. Bring a covered dish and drinks. Call 432-4694, 478-2308, or 478-5931 for info.

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A Look At Sports Floyd County well represented in All-Star play over weekend

It was a good weekend of all-star baseball for teams that played this past week-



Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

end as the Prestonsburg Little League All-Stars advanced to the championship game of the District 7 title game.

The Big Sandy 17-18 year old Babe Ruth All-Stars were runners-up in the state tournament at Lexington over the weekend. They made a good representation for us.

Prestonsburg fell to Fleming-Neon in the title game and just missed going to the state tournament. The local team led 5-2 going into the fifth inning but failed to hold the lead.

Big Sandy pulled off a win that most teams only dream about when they defeated Lexington Dixie in the second game of their tournament.

All-Star play will continue this coming weekend when the 13, 14, and 15 year old Babe Ruth all-star tournament happens in Lexington. Can you imagine the crowd of people that will crowd Lexington in conjunction with the Bluegrass State Games?

Coach French Harmon and his Allen Orioles are competing in the state Mickey Mantle tournament at Boyd County High School this week. Here is another outstanding baseball team.

I caught the final two innings of the 9-10 year old all-stars at Paintsville between Pikeville and Paintsville. It was a good one as Paintsville pulled out a win. It was the first loss for either team and they were to meet Tuesday for round two.

Paintsville is the defending state champions and they looked very good on the diamond. Their 11-12 all-stars in the future are going to be strong.

It was a big, exciting and enthusiastic crowd that filled the Paul B. Hall complex. Boy, if we could just get that atmosphere at all games.

OTHER STUFF:

- University of Kentucky coach Tubby Smith has been taking in the Adias and ABCD basketball camps looking at some of the top college prospects around the country.

I look for Smith to reevaluate the commitments that coach Rick Pitino made to Jarrod Brown and J.P. Blevins. There are too many good two guards and point guards out there who have better credentials than those two. But I believe Tubby should make good the commitment. Both players will be nothing more than role players at UK anyway but,

Babe Ruth All-Stars state runners-up

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

The Big Sandy Babe Ruth 17-18 year old All-Stars made perhaps the best showing of any local Babe Ruth all-star team to enter a state tournament by finishing second in the state in the Babe Ruth All-Star tournament in Lexington this past weekend.

Coach Danny Kidd's ballclub pulled off a big win over a solid Lexington Dixie team but fell to Frankfort Sach's in the championship game Monday evening. It was the second loss to Frankfort in the tournament.

The local all-star team was made up of players from around the county and was a very talented team that was expected to do well in the tournament.

Against Frankfort in the final game, Big Sandy fell 12-2 for their second loss. Jason Hackworth took the loss for Big Sandy going the first three innings. Matt Kidd relieved Hackworth and pitched the final

two innings.

Nathan Kent went the distance for the win for Frankfort. He struck out six batters allowing but three hits. Chad Case, Kidd, and Hackworth had singles for Big Sandy.

Big Sandy led 1-0 after the first inning but Frankfort pushed across six runs in the bottom of the second to lead 6-1. Chad Case started the game for the local all-stars with a single and scored on Matt Kidd's RBI single.

In the top of the second, Big Sandy plated a run for a 6-2 game when Hackworth walked with one out and scored Dwayne Hughes' single.

Frankfort scored six more times in the fourth inning for the mercy 12-2 win.

Big Sandy opened the tournament with a 6-3 win over Mount Sterling last Friday evening. Hughes collected two of the five hits for the Babe Ruth team. Kidd, Blake Price and Brad Reynolds each had a single in the contest.

The biggest win of the tournament came against one of the premier programs in the state and Southeastern Kentucky when Big Sandy handily defeated Lexington Dixie 9-5 to move into the winners bracket championship. Chad Case scattered seven Lexington hits en route to the victory.

Big Sandy spotted the Lexington team a 3-0 first inning lead but chipped away at the lead and scored three times in the fourth quarter to lead 5-3 after two runs in the third.

In the Big Sandy third, Brent Tackett doubled in Case and Brad Kidd to make it a 3-2 game. In the fourth, Doug Keathley singled home a run and scored on Case's base hit. Case scored the third run of the inning, an unearned run.

Big Sandy added a run in the fifth when Brent Tackett reached on an error and scored on Wesley Collins' RBI single. Keathley had his second hit of the game in the inning.

It was a 9-3 game after the local all-stars batted in the sixth inning when they scored

twice. A walk to Matt Kidd and Brad Kidd's single added to the two walks and a hit batsman accounted for the two runs.

Lexington scored twice in the bottom of the sixth inning for a 9-5 game. Case got the Dixie boys with ease in the seventh inning.

Frankfort's Daniel Rall turned back Big Sandy in game three by a 13-1 count. He allowed the one run in the top of the first when Case doubled to open the game and scored on an error.

Frankfort tied the game in the first and led 4-1 after two innings. The Sach's scored eight times in the third inning and added a run in the fourth.

The loss dropped Big Sandy to the loser's bracket where they posted a 15-4 win over Mount Sterling behind the pitching of Chad Case. Case collected two hits in the game, Brad Kidd had a seventh inning triple and Doug Keathley collected three hits. Brad Reynolds singled twice as did Jason Hackworth.

District 7 finals...

Potter's 3 RBI's ends Prestonsburg season

Prestonsburg collects but two hits, stranding nine base runners

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

The Prestonsburg 11-12 All-Star Little League team looked to be heading to Owensboro this past Monday night for a date in the Little League state tournament later this week. But a lack of key hits and stranding base runners resulted in a 6-5 loss to Fleming-Neon in the championship game of the District 7 Little League Tournament at Paintsville.

Prestonsburg had Fleming-Neon's P.J. Johnson on the hook in the first inning but let him wiggle off in failing to sink the hook deeper. The Blackcats, who collected only two hits in the game, left the bases loaded in the all-important fifth inning and stranded two runners in the third.

Ryan Potter became a one-man wrecking crew for the Pirates with a two-run home run in the sixth inning to tie the game at 5 and a game winning RBI single in the bottom of the sixth inning that won the contest and gave Neon a berth in this week's state tournament.

Johnson, a hard throwing left hander, struggled from the mound but did go the distance in striking out 14 batters. Johnson issued nine walks that hurt him early.

Joey Willis, who pitched well, made the one mistake in suffering the loss and that was Potter's two-

run shot. Willis had four strikeouts and he walked three batters while hitting one.

The hit-batsman, in the sixth inning with one out, came to the ninth place hitter, Axel Bentley. Willis was ahead in the count to Bentley before plunking him with a pitch. Bentley proved to be the winning run.

Gabe Cooch followed the hit-batsman with a ground rule double on a ball that took one bounce and went over the fence in left field. Ryan Fugate, running for Bentley, stopped at third base. Prestonsburg coach Denny Ousley ordered the intentional passing of Johnson to load the bases and set up the possibility of a double play.

Paul Hall, the three hitter, went after the first pitch from Willis and popped the ball in the air where Willis gathered it in for the second out. With the bases jammed, Potter ripped a Willis fast ball to left center field with Fugate trotting home the winning run.

Johnson allowed Prestonsburg two hits in the first inning, then no-hit them the rest of the way. Prestonsburg took a 4-0 lead with a four-run first. Adam Dixon and Willis drew walks from Johnson, who was throwing hard but wild. Rudy Pennington caught up with a Johnson fast ball and deposited it

(See Potter, page two)



Getting together

The Prestonsburg Little League All-Stars huddled just before they took the field against Fleming-Neon in tournament play at Paintsville Monday night. Neon scored a run in the bottom of the sixth inning to defeat Prestonsburg 6-5 and earn a berth in the state tournament (photo by Ed Taylor)

May, Carrier take checkered flag at Thunder Ridge; points standings

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Eddie Carrier, Jr., and Chuckie May were the big winners at Thunder Ridge this past Saturday night in the Late Model and Modifieds classes as the points

standings were released by the Thunder Ridge officials.

May is the current points leader at Thunder Ridge in the modifieds with 524 points. Jackie Boggs lead the Late Model drivers with 602 points while Tim Moore heads the AMRA stock cars with 686 points. Wheelwright's Jason Johnson tops the Bombers with 766 points.

May won his fourth straight feature race this past weekend, and it was his tenth feature win of the racing season. The last two wins for May place him in the top five nationally in the points standings.

"I could have moved up to third nationally," said May after his win last Saturday night. "After winning the last two weekends at Thunder Ridge, I think I may have moved up to third place."

Eddie Carrier Sr. drove his 1C car to the finish line snapping a streak by Jackie Boggs in wins at Thunder Ridge this season. Boggs missed running at Thunder Ridge over the Fourth of July events because of motor problems. Carrier took first place with Boggs finishing second. Third place went to Eddie Carrier Jr.

May just edged Robbie Perkins in taking the checkered flag in the modifieds. Perkins' 460 car had the lead over May until May caught up in the final lap. The two cars ran side-by-side until they encountered lapped traffic.

"Robbie went high and I went low and passed both him and the number seven car (Jerry Wicker)," said May. "Robbie got up high in the loose dirt and that allowed me to pass both drivers to win the race."

It was the third consecutive feature win for May and his 10th overall.

May had one of best qualifying times but, with the new "inverted" rule at Thunder Ridge, he started in the 10th position. But the number 28 car blistered the track and raced

to the front of the field in taking the checkered flag.

Brad Martin led the feature until he developed brake problems and went over the embankment at The Ridge. Once back in the race, Martin was still in contention running fourth and, at times, third. A flat sent him to the pits and ended his night.

For Martin, his story-book season got another new twist. Martin has been known to win a race with a borrowed motor but never a borrowed car. But he came close. Kinzer Motorsport loaned Martin a new car, one that had never been on dirt before. All Martin did was win the trophy dash and record the best qualifying time with the car.

"They are trying to sell it," said Martin, "and they wanted me to drive it. It was the first time I had ever driven the car and the first time it had ever been on a dirt track."

"It is a nice car and a winning car. It is the best car that I have ever driven. It is definitely a winning car," he said.

Martin said he is on a comeback now after missing the last month of the season with a blown motor in his own car.

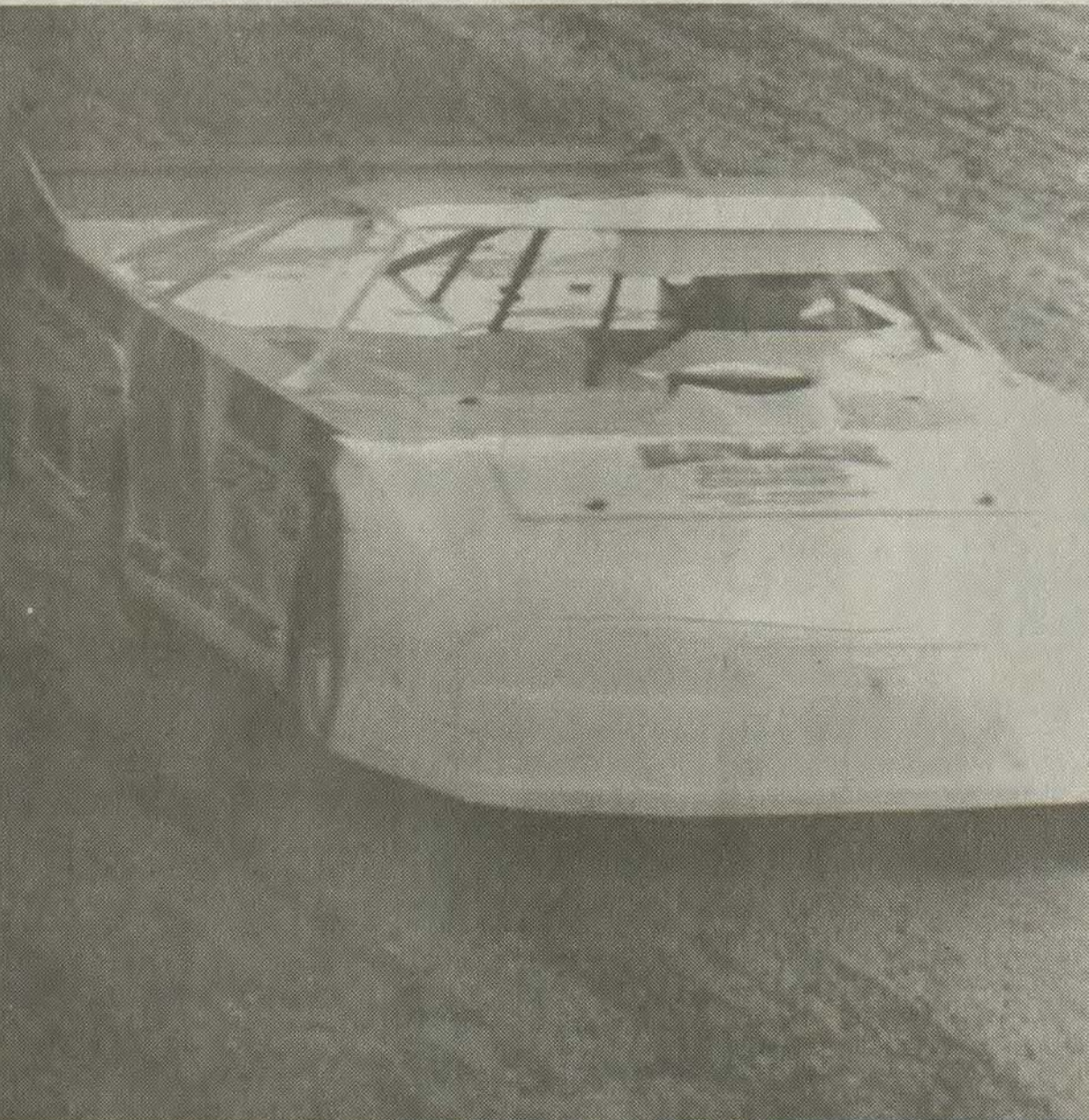
But, for Martin, there was another added worry to his racing season this past weekend.

"I found out my car ran at Perry County Speedway last weekend," said Martin, "without me. The boy who is rebuilding my motor for me took it there to try it out. I didn't know until somebody called me and told me it was racing over at Perry County."

In his borrowed car at Thunder Ridge, Martin posted a time of 19.51, the fastest time at The Ridge this season.

"I started in the back and still won the dash," he said.

Both Martin and May commented on the excellent condition of the



Number three

Paul Harris, Prestonsburg, is currently in third place in the Late Model points standing at Thunder Ridge with 418. Jackie Boggs leads the standings with 602 followed by Brandon Kinzer. (photo by Ed Taylor)



Takes third

Harry Branham stands next to his number 14 car which finished third in the modified feature at the Perry County Speedway last Saturday night. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Flag

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Thunder Ridge track, which had come under a lot of criticism lately.

"It was in much better shape," said Martin. "It was in real good shape. There was a big crowd there, and it was just a great night of racing."

"The track was in excellent shape," said May. "They did a lot of work on it and was in great condition."

In the bomber feature, Rondell Lester drove his number 33 car to victory lane ahead of David Chaffins and his number 27S car. Prestonsburg's Clint Shutts finished third.

Steve Stollings raced to take the checkered flag in the AMRA Stock Car feature. Jim Ison placed second, and Tandy Spurlock finished third.

Dennis Bartley took the checkered flag in the Road Hog feature while Basil Branham and Lloyd Kimbler finished second and third, respectively.

Mona Burchette won the Powder Puff feature in her J24 car.

Boggs leads the points standings in the Late Models with 602 points over Brandon Kinzer at 424 points.

Paul Harris (418), Richard Callihan (386) and Eddie Carrier, Jr. (361), round out the top five.

Top five in the modifieds include: May (524), Brian Childers, 442, Gary Combs, 432, Brad Martin, 423 and Randy Fouts, 352.

Tim Moore leads the AMRA Stock Cars with 686 points. Billy Hutchinson is second with 623 followed by Tandy Spurlock (514), Gary Cunnigan (456) and Jim Ison (427).

Wheelwright's Jason Johnson leads the Bombers in points with 766. David Chaffins has 622, Mickey Hall at 581, Freddie Brock with 529 followed by James Mayhan at 521.

In the Road Hogs, Dennis Bartley leads in points with 468. David Chaffins had 402 followed by Lloyd Kimbler (335), Keith Branham, (246), Johnny Layne and Benny Butcher (160)

Racing continues this Saturday night at Thunder Ridge with a Sprint Car portion featuring the Outlaw Sprint Bandits. Thunder Ridge track promoter Barry Proffitt says the order of events is not known as of yet but Saturday night

promises to be a fun filled night.

"These little sprint cars will fly around the track," he said. "They are like go-karts with wings. They are very fast."

Proffitt said he is hopeful they have solved the track problems of the past and all the work done on the track will hold up.

"The racing surface has hurt us this season but we have worked on it," he said. "We've had problems with too much dust or the track being too rough. I just hope we can keep it like that. It held up real good after Saturday night's race."

The gates will open this Saturday night at 4 p.m. with the green flag scheduled to fall at 7 p.m. In addition to the Outlaw Sprint Bandits, the regular show will also be held with the exception of the Road Hogs.

The regular show includes the Late Models, Modifieds, AMRA Stock Cars, and Bombers.

"Right now I don't know the order of the races because I don't know how many sprint cars we will have and how many heat races to run. I will know all that by Thursday," said Proffitt.

Potter

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down the right field line scoring Dixon. Dustin Hammond then ripped a pitch to right center, scoring both Willis and Pennington. Hammond moved to third on a wild pitch and came home on another wild pitch to the plate to make it 4-0.

Fleming-Neon got two runs back in the bottom of the first for a 4-2 score. Willis walked Gabe Gooch to start the inning, and he scored on Eric Cantrell's RBI single. Potter, who reached on a fielder's choice, scored when Josh Sexton's ground ball got through the legs of first baseman Rudy Pennington. The run

was unearned.

Johnson, who worked behind almost every batter, was wild to the plate but got help from the Prestonsburg batters as they were cutting at pitches over their head and in the dirt. Some would leave the batter's box to take their cuts.

Prestonsburg took a 5-2 lead with an unearned run in the fifth inning. Willis drew a lead-off walk, went to second on a ball call, to third on a passed ball and scored when catcher Shane Gross threw wildly into left field. Johnson walked Jason Ison, Zack Bradshaw and John Hunt to load the bases but

got Josh Pennington to bounce to short for a force on Bradshaw at third base.

In the top of the sixth, Matt Setser opened the inning with a walk, went to second on a passed ball and moved to third on a wild pitch. But Johnson got Dixon, Willis and Rudy Pennington on strikes to end the threat.

Willis, who is more of a finesse pitcher, laid the ball across the plate in the fifth inning to Potter and the ball jumped off the bat and over the right center field fence on a line. Johnson reached on a base hit to start the Neon fifth. He went to second on an error in centerfield when the ball got past Hammonds. Johnson scored on an errant throw back to the Prestonsburg infield. Paul Hall kept the Neon fifth going with a base hit. He crossed home plate in front of Potter on the game tying home run.

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still, they were made a promise and, hopefully, Smith will keep that promise.

• New Eastern Kentucky head basketball coach, Scott Perry, got a shot in the arm when Charles Thomas, former Kentucky Mr. Basketball, decided to transfer from Minnesota to Eastern Kentucky University this fall. Of course, Thomas will have to sit out a year, but he will definitely be a big boost to that program.

• Football season is in the air and it won't be long until they will be teeing up the pigskin for the start of the 1997 season. Look for the Prestonsburg Blackcats to surprise some folks this year. This is going to be a strong team and I can't wait to watch sophomore Jeremy Caudill play the game.

South Floyd is another team that should be very, very competitive this season. Coach Donnie Daniels has a strong unit coming back. Ted George will try to revive the Betsy Layne program and it

still is not clear who will guide the Runnin' Rebels.

• Grade school football should be very interesting this season with the new elementary conference in place. In the county, South Floyd should be a strong elementary program, along with Adams Middle School.

• Girls grade school basketball will get an early jump in starting practice. The girls programs may begin conditioning shortly after school begins and practice begins on October 1. Harold and Prater boys will be allowed to follow the girls conditioning schedule due to the scheduling of gyms.

• The Bluegrass State Games get underway this weekend and officially next weekend with the opening ceremonies. If you are going to be in the Games, give me a call and tell me what event, where and time. We'll see you down there.

Until Friday, good sports everyone and be good sports!

Hilltop Raceway Results

Results of racing at the Hilltop Raceway for Friday and Saturday night.

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Slight changes in golf tournament

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

More than 120 golfers showed up for last year's Kiwanis Club Golf Tournament at the Jenny Wiley Golf Course, and it was the largest turnout ever. Tournament organizer Teddy Hall says he doesn't expect that many participants this year, but a good tournament is expected with around 90 golfers on hand.

The 15th Annual Kiwanis Club Golf Tournament will be held on August 9 at the local golf course and the registration fee is \$30 per golfer. A four-man scramble (A,B,C,D) format will be the rule with trophies and prizes going to the first three winning teams.

"We have all sorts of prizes to give away this year," said Hall. "This year, instead of eating after the tournament, we are going to set a tent up and let golfers eat midway of the tournament. That way we will just give away the prizes afterwards and then go home."

Hall said the early lunch is the only major change and the schedule

alteration was made to prevent a log jam of golfers.

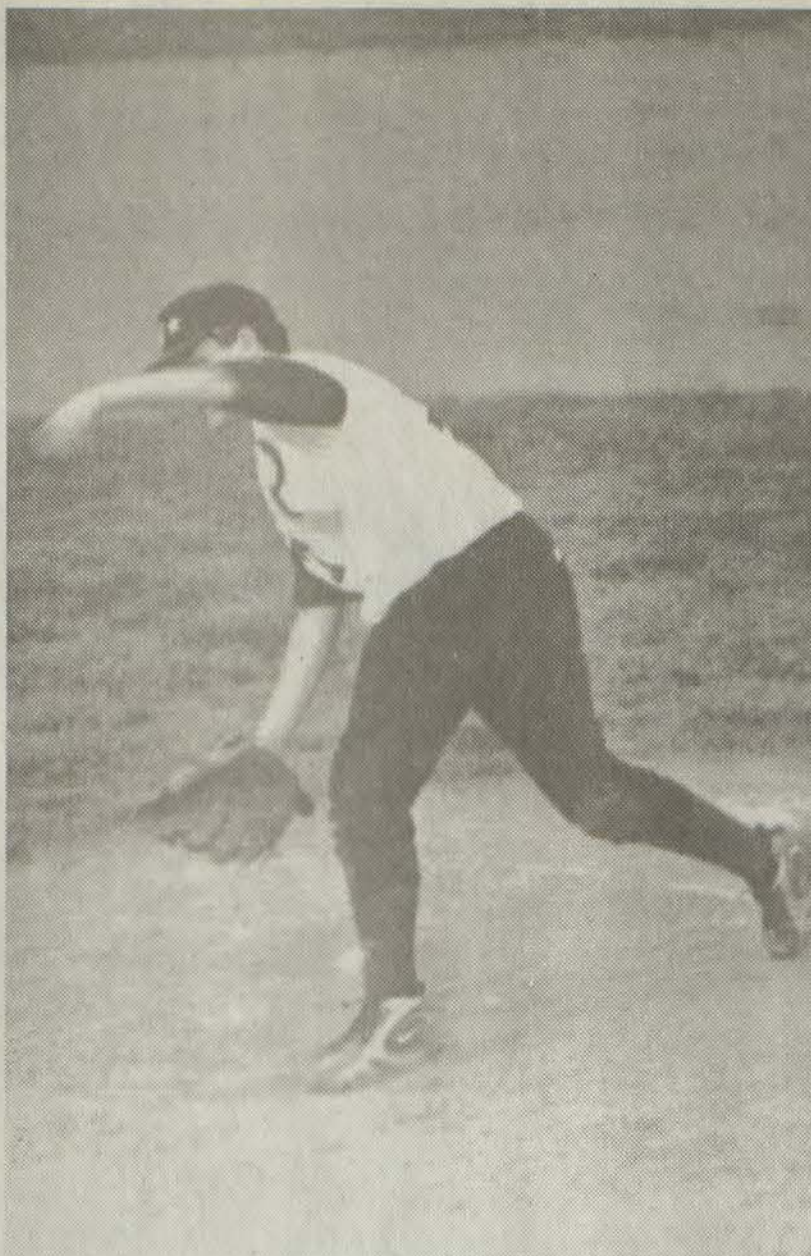
"If they want to come to the tent while waiting to tee off, they can," he said. "We want to make it go as quickly as possible."

A Bearcat Scanner will be one prize to be given away, along with a valuable painting, two CB's, gift certificates for dinners, golf bags, putters, drivers, umbrellas, barbecue grills, golf covers, coolers, and numerous other prizes.

"We are going to have a great tournament," said Hall. "Last year, Wes Case brought Larry Mullins and Wes' daughter to play in the tournament. Larry ended up winning the Food City Hole last year. That was the biggest moment for me in the 14 years I have been working with the tournament. Wes knew they couldn't win, but he wanted them to play. That was great."

Prizes will be given for the closest to the hole, longest drive, a cash prize on home one and others.

Teams will tee off at 9 a.m. on August 9. Teams must register by 5 p.m. August 8.



The delivery...

Prestonsburg All-Star Joey Willis was tagged for three runs in the fifth inning by Fleming-Neon to tie the game at 5, and the Pirates scored a single run in the bottom of the sixth to win 6-5. (photo by Ed Taylor)

More than 16,000: Athletes to compete in Blue Grass State Games

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

To date, the 13th Annual Bluegrass State Games could be a record year as far as the number of amateur athletes taking part. Last year's games drew more than 19,000 and, already, more than 16,491 people have registered to attend the Games in Lexington, July 18-20 and July 25-27.

Several participants from Floyd County will be part of this year's Games, as well as the athletes from Pike and Magoffin counties.

The Games have grown to the extent that the Games committee decided to split the Games into two weekends to lessen the load on motels and other business places in Lexington.

The Games have outgrown Lexington, and 60 sites in seven counties will be utilized this year to hold the Games. The annual Games will feature 27 different sporting events.

The two largest team sports are softball, with 304 teams representing 5,936 players, and soccer, with

304 teams or 5,472 individuals. Other large team sports include 3-on-3 basketball totaling 155 teams; volleyball, 120 teams; and in-line hockey with nine teams.

Track and field is the largest individual sport with 554 participants followed by tennis with 375 entries. Other large individual sports are swimming, 340; 5K run, 269; equestrian, 263; martial arts, 229; and gymnastics, 189.

Fourteen sports will take late registrations at opening ceremonies on July 25. They are archery, canoeing/kayaking, chess, croquet, cycling, fencing, horseshoes, martial arts, power tumbling, shooting, table tennis, track and field, wrestling and the 5K road race. On-site registration is available for all of the sports listed except for track and field and wrestling.

Floyd County will be represented by 22 entries in the Games. Seven local softball teams have registered with five taking part in golf. Four 3-on-3 basketball teams will compete and several individuals have registered for track and field.



An outlaw?

No, but the Outlaw Sprint Bandits will be at Thunder Ridge this Saturday night as part of a big racing card that will attract fans from all around. The late models, modifieds, AMRA and bombers will run as well. Gates open at 4 p.m. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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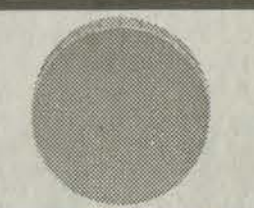
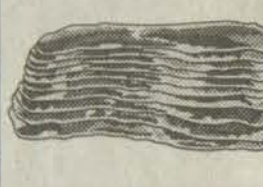
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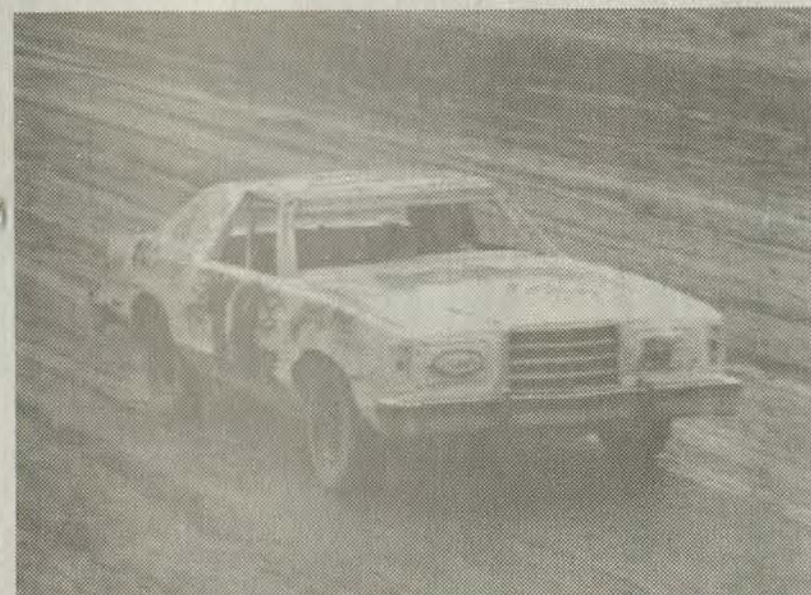
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A bomber

A huge crowd showed up at Thunder Ridge this past Saturday night as racing action was heavy at the local track. A big show is on tap for this Saturday night with all but the Road Hogs running. (photo by Ed Taylor)



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Floyd County board approves elementary recommendations

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

By a vote of 5-0, the Floyd County Board of Education approved other bylaws that will govern elementary athletics this coming season, according to County Athletic Director Pete Grigsby, Jr.

Recommended to the board for approval and to become part of the athletic bylaws governing elementary athletics was a request to admit The Mountain Christian Academy into the Floyd County basketball conference for the 1997-98 school year. MCA will become a member of the Southern Division.

The board also approved the organizing of an officials' association (football and basketball) for elementary games. Officials, who are to register with the conference, will be put into a pool for schools to draw from and be assigned to referee county games.

Each official must qualify and meet requirements in order to be used as an official. Those requirements are:

- Must be registered officials with the KHSAA.
- Must be a member of the FCEAC Association.
- Must wear proper uniform and attire.
- Must attend one on-the-court training session from the KHSAA, Panoramas, or the annual FCEAC referee clinic.

The board also approved the responsibility of the County Athletic Director to schedule all conference

games for the FCEAC schools. Conference games for the Northern Division will be 17 games while the Southern Division (because of the addition of MCA) will play 18 games.

In past seasons, the county elementary athletics were divided into four sections. This coming season will find only two divisions.

"We're off to a good start," said Grigsby of the new bylaws. "We'll find some bugs in it when we get started, but we can work those out. Everyone seems to be excited about what we have done. The board supported it unanimously."

One recommendation that was sent back for better language was to admit all teachers free to elementary basketball and football games and "consider doing the same for high school games."

But board member Jody Mullins thought the recommendation should include certified personnel as well.

"I have re-worked that and will present a new recommendation to them at the next board meeting," said Grigsby.

The new recommendation will include:

- Free admission to all elementary and high school basketball games for all school personnel, certified and classified, including board members and superintendent.

The recommendation is for all athletic events in the county.

Adams Middle School, Allen, Auxier, Betsy Layne, Martin and Prater Creek will comprise the Northern Division. The Southern

Division will include Duff, John M. Stumbo, Harold, McDowell, Melvin, and Osborne.

Teams will be seated in the county basketball tournament with five playing six, three facing four. The one and two seeds in each division will receive first round byes.

All schools will take part in the county tournament beginning this year. In the past, only the two teams that survived the sectional playoffs made it to the final round. Teams will be required to play each team in their division twice and once in the opposing division.

The new conference is the result of long meetings, hard work and cooperation that existed between coaches, principals and Grigsby.

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Sports Calendar

PIKEVILLE CHEERLEADER GOLF TOURNAMENT

The Pikeville Cheerleaders will host their second annual golf tournament on Friday, August 1, at the Mountain Public Links at Johns Creek with a shotgun start scheduled to tee off at 9 a.m.

Prizes will be awarded to the top three teams and prizes given on selected holes.

Individual entry fee is \$50, which includes green and cart fees. For more information, contact Randy Collins at 437-9617, or Jeanie Stone and Lisa Wheeler at 432-0185.

CHRIST UMC FIFTH ANNUAL GOLF SCRAMBLE

Stumbo Park's Beaver Valley Golf Course will be the site of the fifth annual Christ United Methodist Church golf scramble scheduled this year for September 13.

First place team will receive \$1,000 with \$300 going to the second place foursome. Third place is

good for \$200.

It will be pick-your-own-team format and an entry fee of \$30 per golfer. Start time is set for 9 a.m.

For more information, contact Ken Lemaster, 874-2624 or Lowell Marcum, 874-2917.

MOUNTAIN CLASSIC TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The First Annual Mountain Classic tennis tournament will get underway beginning July 28 and running through August 3 at the Archer Park tennis courts in Prestonsburg.

The tournament will include: A & B events, women's doubles and singles, men's doubles and singles, mixed doubles.

All entrants will receive a T-shirt. First and second place teams receive a trophy. Entry fee is \$10 per person, per event. To enter, or for more information, contact Wes Hamilton or Doug Bentley at 874-0395 or (606) 642-3111.



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Sports in Kentucky

by Bob Watkins

Reader response to Cameron Mills item is breath of fresh air

Just when greed, self-promotion and sports star run-ins with law enforcement seems to consume sports headlines, along comes a breath of fresh air.

Two weeks ago a suggestion was made here that more (media) attention should be paid to stories of perseverance and triumph, i.e. UK basketball player Cameron Mills, and less precious air time and newspaper space invested in NBA signing bonuses, cheating in college athletics, and more recently ear biting in boxing.

READERS (RIGHT) WRITE
 * About an item in this space on UK's basketball player Cameron Mills...

Walt Sutton, Louisville (E-mail): "Thanks for the recent piece on Cameron Mills. It was interesting to learn (these things) about him, but you also got a lot said that needs to be said. I hope a whole bunch of people read you that day."

Jim Host, (Host Communications), Lexington: "I haven't always agreed with what you have written but, in this instance, this kind of article and story is long overdue. This kid is one terrific human being and I agree that he might be able to get more publicity if he was more controversial. We need more like him as role models."

Ann Neikirk, Somerset: "I too have the question — why don't these stories of perseverance and tenacity make the headlines? Is money, weird antics (orange hair, biting ears, etc.) all that sell newspapers to sports fans? Cameron was in Somerset this spring for FCA (Fellowship of Christian Athletes) and made a very positive impression on a lot of young people."

COMMENT: Thank you for writing and I encourage you to share your views. Write to Bob Watkins, Sports In Ky, P.O. Box 124, Glendale, Ky. 42740.

UOFL'S OLSEN NEEDS NO SYMPATHY

Bill Olsen would want no sympathy as he vacates the second most visible job in the University of Louisville athletics department. More, a bit of understanding and perspective seems in order.

In the first place, resigned director of athletics Olsen was well compensated for seeing to it UoFL athletics made a profit. He deserves high marks for arranging attractive schedules for athletic teams; negotiating television contracts for sugar teams, basketball and football; and for involvement in pressing forward a new football stadium.

Alas, as skillful as Olsen was at topside things, he was not good at others. Among them, shepherding his coaches along the chalk line and monitoring those who barnacled themselves onto athletic programs.

Those who see Olsen as a fall guy in the recently troubled UoFL's athletic history, miss the mark. He lacked vision where it was vital. UoFL's problems recently with the NCAA parallel remarkably, those which brought despair to the University of Kentucky's basketball program a decade ago. As it said in this space several months ago — those who learn nothing from (UK's) history are doomed to repeat it. Olsen did precisely that.

Like Cliff Hagan at UK, Olsen became a victim of his own laissez faire. For whatever reasons, he allowed the basketball program to operate itself and its coaches ran Cardinal basketball into trouble with the NCAA rules police.

Symbolized by his resignation last week, Olsen admits he should

have been more diligent in NCAA rules compliance. And, as a recent NCAA survey demonstrates, the director of athletics should have been more insistent student athletes show satisfactory progress toward a college degree as well. UoFL's graduation rates since 1990 is 15 percent, the NCAA report says — among the worst in the nation.

UoFL's basketball problems aside, an incident during UoFL's football season last year demonstrates Olsen's questionable decision-making. Coach Ron Cooper suspended two starters before the Cardinals' game against Cincinnati for team rules violations. But when the Bearcats threatened to score near the end of the first half, Cooper retreated from principle and inserted the two players anyway.

Olsen should have disciplined his coach and publicly.

Bill Olsen had a good run in 17 years as director of athletics at the University of Louisville and his contributions were significant. Profits were made and progress, too. Yet his departure from UoFL's athletic house was a surprise only because there are others who should have preceded him.

UK BASKETBALL RECRUITING LOGJAM?

Mid-summer. Must be time for basketball recruiting news.

Three months into the job scuttlebutt is Kentucky coach Orlando 'Tubby' Smith may not be so keen on UK's two recruiting commitments made by Rick Pitino. Not so much that Jaron Brown of Lexington Bryan Station and J.P. Blevins of Metcalfe County can or cannot compete at UK's level, but that, if Vince Yarborough commits to Kentucky as expected, the new coach is left with two scholarships available and a mini-truckload of prospects interested in signing with the Wildcats.

Among them: 6-8 Al Harrington of Elizabeth, N.J.; 6-7 Paris London of Memphis; 6-9 Kevin Lyde and 6-11 Souleymane Camara of Oak Hill Academy; 6-7 Jaron Rush of Kansas City; and 6-8 Stromile Swift of Shreveport, La.

Other summer camper standouts who list UK on their shopping lists: 6-8 Korleone Young of Wichita; and 6-5 Corey Maggette of Oak Park, Ill.

J.R. VanHoose? Indications are, after the summer camp scene, the much discussed 6-foot-pick-a-number star at Paintsville High School — unless he consents to walk on — ought to set his college sights on a school beyond Fayette County.

There are those who sound a warning about VanHoose, however. One fan pointed out that once upon a recruiting season Joe B. Hall exam-

ined the skills of a rangy kid from French Lick, Ind. and pronounced he was "too slow to play at Kentucky."

LARRY BIRD IS IN THE HALL OF FAME. MUMME PAY PACKET IS HANDSOME HIKE

What difference can a job change make? Next to Andy Davidson of Evansville who won \$57.5M in the powerball lottery jackpot last month, consider UK football coach Hal Mumme's jump in pay this year.

While you settled for a 3.5 cost-of-living raise, Mumme's new job brings him a pay increase of 225 percent. Valdosta State paid him 70 grand last year. One season at UK will put \$310,000 in Mumme's bank account.

Perks? Mumme will have use of two late model automobiles and will be reimbursed for all his and his wife's travel expenses to athletic events. And the coach receives 20 tickets to all UK home football games.

MARK POPE (RE)DISCOVERED?

Right place, right time and for the right coach. The biggest 'no surprise' in the NBA rookie camper competition this summer in my view is Mark Pope. The former UK stand-out led coach Larry Bird's Pacer rookies' team in scoring in exhibition play.

Pope is the latest example of how NBA super scout Marty Blake's analytical measurements have blind spots. Rated too slow, too small, and too whatever else pencil-pushing chart keepers calculate, Pope was drafted, then cut by the NBA Pacers last summer. He went off to Turkey to play basketball. One season and a Pacers coaching change later, Pope is on the brink of proving again that, in the true measure of an athlete's skills, intelligence and instincts and size of his/her heart must be considered too.

Ironically, Pope is still with the Pacers this week because, in many ways he is what coach Larry Bird used to be.

LARRY GILBERT'S BLUEGRASS GRIT

A native of Vine Grove, and club professional at Doe Valley Country Club near Brandenburg in Meade County in the 1970s and 80s, Larry Gilbert struck gold Sunday winning the Senior Players Championship in Dearborn, Michigan.

It wasn't only impressive that Gilbert pocketed \$270,000 first prize money, but that he had a lead on Saturday and did not fade Sunday as many golfers do when the likes of Jack Nicklaus and Dave Stockton are breathing on them.

On the contrary, Gilbert fired a 5-under-par 67 Sunday to keep both 'name' golfers behind him. Ah, the

Bluegrass grit and fortitude of a Kentuckian.

DIS 'N DATA

✓ University of Louisville. A Killer B candidates list (snicker) to replace Bill Olsen as UoFL director of athletics? 1. B. Reed; 2. B. Valvano; 3. R. Bozich. Or, how about Phil Bond? In fact, the hope here is UoFL officials will have vision enough to hire someone outside the good old boy network.

✓ Great Eight Classic December 2 in Chicago — When UK plays Purdue and UoFL faces North Carolina, two teams will be 1-2 as winningest college basketball programs in America and the other two will have the dubious distinction of being under NCAA investigation for rules violations.

✓ Sam Bowie replacing Kyle Macy as analyst on UK Basketball radio network could be an improvement ... but I doubt it.

✓ Just Wondering Dept. ... curious how Nevada-Las Vegas used to be thought of as Outlaw U. and now the interchange has become Fresno State. Wonder what the connection is?

✓ Lemme Get This Straight Dept. ... Chicago White Sox bad boy Albert Belle showed up for Baseball's All-Star game in Cleveland, called the fans village idiots, skipped the home run hitting contest, ducked the pre-game workout and batting practice, said 'no way' to the team photo, then disappeared from the bench during the game, and he was paid a \$50,000 bonus?

PARTING SHOT

Penn State football coach Joe Paterno who is 70 and 12 wins away from his 300th coaching victory: "I've said to the people around me, 'You've got to keep an eye on me. If I start getting sloppy and I'm not helping ... if you don't have enough guts to tell me, you have to tell my wife.'" And so it goes.

Have a point of view you would like to share? Write to Bob Watkins, Sports In Ky, P.O. Box 124, Glendale, Ky. 42740. Or, E-Mail SptsInKy@aol.com.

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Dynamic Duo

Rick Hughes and Denny Ousley helped guide the Prestonsburg Little League All-Stars to the championship game against Fleming-Neon last Monday evening. The local team fell 6-5 to Neon. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Johnson wins Bomber feature at Perry County Speedway

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Wheelwright's Jason Johnson watched the green flag fall at the Perry County Speedway last Friday night and drove his Bomber racer to a first place finish in the Bomber Division feature, racing ahead of Richard Brewer and Hershel Colwell, who finished second and third, respectively.

Johnson, who leads the points standings at Thunder Ridge, has been the most consistent driver on the Perry County oval track this season.

Paul Davis took the checkered flag and captured first place in the Late Model race. David Dixon placed second ahead of third place finisher Eddie Carrier Sr.

In the modified division Friday night, Dale Turner led the rest of the field in taking first place. Keith Gray placed second and Martin's Harry Branham finished third.

In the Super Bomber feature, Steve Stollings finished first with Brad Collie and Tim Mason taking second and third places.

Jamie Fields ran ahead of Richard Brewer and Joe Wooten to win the Road Hog feature.

Saturday night, Turner repeated in the Modified feature, winning for the second straight night. Martin's Jim Branham finished a strong second with Keith Gray running in third place.

Davis, who won on Friday night in the Late Models, had to settle for a third place finish on Saturday night, watching Greg Lucas take the checkered flag for first place, followed by Smokey Collins in second place.

Richard Brewer finished first in the Bomber division on Saturday night with Tim Mason crossing the finish line for second place. Third place went to Jimmy Hall.

Raymond Nichols finished first, ahead of Brad Collie, in the Super Bomber feature. Brandon Mason finished third.

Jamie Fields was a repeat winner in the Road Hog with James Ritchie and Larry Mullins placing second and third.

There will be a nice purse for the Bombers this Saturday night with a \$1,000 to-win cash prize going to the

winner at the Perry County Speedway. Also, the Late Model winner will take home a \$1,000 prize for his effort, with \$500 going to the winner of the modified feature. Super Bombers will pay \$400 to the winner and Road Hogs, \$125.

The Mountain Motor Speedway of Isom opened two weeks ago and will be running in conjunction with the Perry County Speedway. Racing will run on Friday nights at Isom with the Super Bombers earning \$400 to-win. The Bombers will receive \$300 and Road Hogs, \$125. Friday night will be a practice night for the Late Models and Modifieds at the Mountain Motor Speedway.

If the same car wins both nights at Isom and Perry County, the winner will receive a bonus award. The Super Bomber could earn a bonus of \$150; Bombers, \$100; and Road Hogs \$50.

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Independent Auditor's Report

We have audited the Floyd County Sheriff's Settlement - 1994 Taxes as of December 15, 1995. This tax settlement is the responsibility of the Floyd County Sheriff. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial statement based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted government auditing standards and the *Audit Guide for Sheriff's Tax Settlements* issued by the Auditor of Public Accounts, Commonwealth of Kentucky. These standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statement is free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statement. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

The Sheriff prepares his financial statement on a prescribed basis of accounting that demonstrates compliance with the cash basis and laws of Kentucky, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than generally accepted accounting principles.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statement referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the Floyd County Sheriff's taxes charged, credited, and paid as of December 15, 1995, in conformity with the basis of accounting described in the preceding paragraph.

In accordance with government auditing standards, we have also issued a report dated May 20, 1996, on our consideration of Floyd County Sheriff's internal control structure and a report dated May 20, 1996, on compliance with laws and regulations.

COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

1) Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson Should Eliminate All Prior Year Deficits

In the prior year audit reports, we have reported the following deficits:

1989 Unmined Coal Audit	\$	6,745
1991 Property Tax Audit	\$	5,315
1992 Property Tax Audit	\$	16,663
1993 Property Tax Audit	\$	1,877

As of the end of fieldwork on the 1994 taxes, Sheriff Thompson has not provided any documentation which would indicate that these deficits have been eliminated. We recommend Sheriff Thompson make personal deposits in the amounts of the prior year deficits to the appropriate tax accounts in order to satisfy the liabilities resulting from the respective audits.

2) Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson's Deposits Should Be Properly Protected From Potential Loss Bank Pledges Of Securities

Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson's deposits, during the month of May 1995, were not adequately secured by as much as \$3,702,438. Under the provisions of KRS 66.480(1)(d) and KRS 41.240(4), banks are required to provide pledges of securities for interest-bearing and noninterest-bearing deposits if either exceed the \$100,000 amount of insurance coverage provided by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. We recommend Sheriff Thompson obtain an increased pledge of securities to cover all unsecured deposits and monitor future bank balances to ensure coverage is always adequate.

3) Sheriff Shall Pay Board Of Education Proper Share Of Interest Earned On Investment Of School Taxes On A Monthly Basis

During our audit, it was discovered that Sheriff Thompson did not pay interest earned to the Board of Education on a monthly basis. KRS 134.140(3)(b) requires the Sheriff to pay the Board of Education interest earned on school taxes less a commission not to exceed 4 percent. This statute also requires the Sheriff to pay the interest at the time he makes his monthly tax report. We recommend, in the future, Sheriff Thompson pay the interest to the schools on a monthly basis as required by KRS 134.140(3).

4) Fidelity Bonds Should Adequately Protect County From Potential Loss

During our audit, we discovered Sheriff Thompson's County Revenue Bond was only \$77,000, which was insufficient to adequately protect the county from potential loss.

KRS 134.250 requires the Sheriff to annually execute bond prior to collecting taxes and the bond shall be approved by the County Judge/Executive. We recommend Sheriff Thompson and the fiscal court review the Sheriff's county revenue bond and take appropriate action to ensure the county is adequately protected.

Respectfully submitted,

Ed Hatchett

Edward B. Hatchett, Jr.

Audit fieldwork completed -
May 20, 1996

The above transmittal letter accompanied the audit report presented to the fiscal court. KRS 43.090(2) requires that this letter be published in this newspaper. Copies of the complete audit report, including the accompanying financial statements and additional information, are available upon request by contacting the Auditor of Public Accounts, 144 Capitol Annex, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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Independent Auditor's Report

We have audited the Floyd County Sheriff's Settlement - 1993 Taxes as of November 18, 1994, the Sheriff's Settlement - 1990 Unmined Coal Taxes as of May 20, 1994, and the Sheriff's Settlement - 1991 Unmined Coal Taxes as of January 20, 1995. These tax settlements are the responsibility of the Floyd County Sheriff. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted government auditing standards and the *Audit Guide for Sheriff's Tax Settlements* issued by the Auditor of Public Accounts, Commonwealth of Kentucky. These standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

The Sheriff prepares his financial statements on a prescribed basis of accounting that demonstrates compliance with the cash basis and laws of Kentucky, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than generally accepted accounting principles.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the Floyd County Sheriff's taxes charged, credited, and paid as of November 18, 1994, May 20, 1994, and January 20, 1995, in conformity with the basis of accounting described in the preceding paragraph.

Our audit was made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the statements of the Sheriff's Settlement - 1993 Taxes and the Sheriff's Settlements 1990 and 1991 Unmined Coal Taxes taken as a whole. The accompanying schedule of excess of liabilities over assets is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. Such information has been subjected to auditing procedures and, in our opinion, is fairly presented in all material respects in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued a report dated May 20, 1996 on our consideration of the Floyd County Sheriff's internal control structure and a report dated May 20, 1996, on compliance with laws and regulations.

COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Based on the results of our audit, we make the following comments and recommendations.

1) Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson Should Eliminate All Prior Year Deficits

In the prior year audit reports, we have reported the following deficits:

1989 Unmined Coal Audit	\$	6,745
1991 Property Tax Audit	\$	5,315
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As of the end of fieldwork on the 1993 taxes, Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson had not provided any documentation which would indicate that these deficits have been eliminated. We recommend Sheriff Thompson make personal deposits in the amount of the prior year deficits to the appropriate tax accounts in order to satisfy the liabilities resulting from the respective audits.

2) Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson Should Not Have A Deficit In His Official Bank Account

Based on the available records, there was a deficit of \$1,877 in Sheriff Thompson's 1993 tax account. This resulted primarily from undeposited tax receipts. We recommend Sheriff Thompson eliminate this deficit by depositing \$1,877 from personal funds to the tax account. Also, we recommend, in the future, the Sheriff maintain daily checkout sheets, a receipts ledger, a disbursements ledger, complete deposit tickets, and prepare monthly reconciliations for receipts and disbursements so that any shortage can be detected and corrected.

3) Sheriff Thompson Should Pay All Obligations Of The 1993 Tax Account

The Sheriff's 1993 Tax Account has the following unpaid obligations:

Taxes-		
Fiscal Court	\$	566
Board of Education		244
Library District		8
Health District		13
Extension District		5
Soil Conservation District		4
Betsy Lane Fire District		6
Garrett Fire District		5
Maytown Fire District		40
Wayland Fire District		1,294
Board of Education - Interest		105
1994 Fee Account-		
Commissions		27
Interest		93
Totals	\$	2,410

We recommend that Sheriff Thompson pay these obligations from the 1993 account as soon as possible.

4) Sheriff Thompson Should Make Daily Deposits Into His Tax Account

During our audit, we discovered Sheriff Thompson was not making daily deposits in to his tax account. For the 1990 Unmined Coal Taxes, the Sheriff collected tax bills from July 23, 1993 until August 30, 1993, without making a daily deposit. During this time, a total of \$674,380 in taxes were collected and not deposited until September 2, 1993. This money could have been in the bank earning interest while it was in the Sheriff's office. The situation demonstrates poor internal controls over the tax moneys received by the Sheriff's office. We recommend, in the future, that Sheriff Thompson make daily deposits of all moneys received.

5) Fidelity Bonds Should Adequately Protect County From Potential Loss

During our audit, we discovered Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson's County Revenue Bond was only \$77,000 which was insufficient to adequately protect the county from potential loss. KRS 134.250 requires the Sheriff to annually execute bond prior to collecting taxes and the bond shall be approved by the County Judge/Executive. We recommend Sheriff Thompson and the fiscal court review the Sheriff's county revenue bond and take appropriate action to ensure the county is adequately protected.

6) Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson's Deposits Should Be Properly Protected From Potential Loss By Bank Pledges Of Securities

Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson's deposits, during the month of January 1994, and August 1994, were not adequately secured by as much as \$1,878,796 and \$468,835 respectively. Under the provisions of KRS 66.480(1)(d) and KRS 41.240(4), banks are required to provide pledges of securities for interest-bearing and noninterest-bearing deposits if either exceed the \$100,000 amount of insurance coverage provided by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. We recommend Sheriff Thompson obtain an increased pledge of securities to cover all unsecured deposits and monitor future bank balances to ensure coverage is always adequate.

7) Sheriff Thompson Shall Pay The Board Of Education Their Proper Share Of Interest Earned On Investment Of School Taxes On A Monthly Basis

During our audit, it was discovered that Sheriff Thompson owes the Board of Education an additional \$105 of interest due to the investment of 1993 school taxes by the Sheriff, and an additional \$442 of interest due to the investment of 1990 Unmined Coal Taxes by the Sheriff. KRS 134.140(3)(b) requires the Sheriff to pay the Board of Education interest earned on school taxes less a commission not to exceed 4 percent. This statute also requires the Sheriff to pay the interest at the time he makes his monthly tax report. We recommend Sheriff Thompson pay the school board the amount of interest due and in the future pay the interest to the school on a monthly basis as required by KRS 134.140(3).

Respectfully submitted,

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The Racing Report

by Gerald Hodges

Burton captures Jiffy Lube 300 for second win

Jeff Burton registered his second career Winston Cup win Sunday at New Hampshire International Speedway as he took the checkered flag 5.392-seconds ahead of second place finisher Dale Earnhardt in the Jiffy Lube 300.

"We have a heckuva race team," said Burton. "We've only been together for a year and a half, and to have this competitiveness as a team and keep out of trouble is remarkable. Buddy (Parrot) talked us young whipper-snappers into doing something to our setup last Friday. We were already good, but I'm glad we listened to him, because it made us better."

Burton's other Winston Cup victory came April 6, 1997 in the Interstate Batteries 500 at Texas Motor Speedway near Dallas.

Parrot was voted, "Outstanding Crew Chief of The Race."

TOP TEN FINISHERS:

1) Jeff Burton, 2) Dale Earnhardt, 3) Rusty Wallace, 4) Steve Grissom, 5) Mark Martin, 6) Bill Elliott, 7) Terry Labonte, 8) Ernie Irvan, 9) Ricky Rudd, 10) Geoff Bodine.

Pole-sitter, Ken Schrader finished 11th. Jeff Gordon and his team missed their setup, and a cut tire cost them the points lead. At one point in the race, Gordon was two-laps down. He finished 23rd. Steve Grissom's fourth place finish was his career best.

TOP FIVE POINTS LEADERS:

1) Terry Labonte, 2,497, 2) Jeff Gordon, 2,494, 3) Mark Martin, 2,445, 4) Dale Jarrett, 2,332, 5) Jeff Burton, 2,298.

SADLER WINNER AT MYRTLE BEACH

Pole-sitter, Elliott Sadler, tangled with Jim Sauter early in the race, and fell to the 29th spot, but fought his way back up through the field to win the Busch Series, Advance Auto Parts 250, Saturday, July 12.

TOP 20 FINISHERS:

1) Elliott Sadler, 2) Mike

McLaughlin, 3) Randy LaJoie, 4) Todd Bodine, 5) Elton Sawyer, 6) Mike Dillon, 7) Glenn Allen, 8) Jeff Purvis, 9) Steve Park, 10) Buckshot Jones, 11) Kevin LePage, 12) Tim Fedewa, 13) Phil Parsons, 14) Tracy Leslie, 15) Mark Green, 16) Jim Sauter, 17) Matt Kenseth, 18) Nathan Buttkie, 19) Hermie Sadler, 20) Dennis Setzer.

LAJOIE CONTINUES TO LEAD BGN POINTS

TOP TEN NASCAR BUSCH SERIES POINTS:

1) Randy LaJoie, 2,843, 2) Todd Bodine, 2,806, 3) Phil Parsons, 2,487, 4) Steve Park, 2,383, 5) Buckshot Jones, 2,317, 6) Mike McLaughlin, 2,292, 7) Elliott Sadler, 2,244, 8) Kevin LePage, 2,213, 9) Elton Sawyer, 2,212, 10) Hermie Sadler, 2,183.

HORNADAY ROLLS TO 3RD CONSECUTIVE WIN

Defending champion, Ron Hornaday, of Palmdale, CA is on a roll. He has now won four races. The last one came Saturday at Louisville Motor Speedway in the Link Belt 225.

Starting from the fourth position, Hornaday grabbed the lead on the very first lap and led all 225 laps. As a result of his win, Hornaday has now moved into fourth spot in the series points chase.

The race was slowed by 13 cautions for a total of 66 laps, but at the end, 22 of the 32 starters crossed the stripe.

Rich Bickle, who continues to lead the series in driver points, collected \$10,000 from Gatorade for leading the series at the halfway point.

"We ran pretty well in the first practice," said Bickle. "Then we made some changes and ran not so well in the second session. We obviously didn't qualify as well as we would have liked, but this team has given me some great trucks all season. That's what a championship caliber team is all about. We'll never give up and keep fighting for those quality finishes."

TOP TWENTY FINISHERS:

1) Ron Hornaday, 2) Joe

Ruttman, 3) Jimmy Hensley, 4) Tony Raines, 5) Rich Bickle, 6) Stacy Compton, 7) Scott Walters, 8) Jack Sprague, 9) Boris Said, 10) Mike Wallace, 11) Kevin Harvick, 12) Mike Cope, 13) Mike Bliss, 14) Tammy Jo Kirk, 15) Terry Cook, 16) Rick Crawford, 17) Michael Dokken, 18) Kenny Irwin, 19) Rick Carelli, 20) Tony Roper.

TOP FIVE CRAFTSMAN POINTS LEADERS:

1) Rich Bickle, 1,993, 2) Jack Sprague, 1,931, 3) Joe Ruttman, 1,857, 4) Ron Hornaday, 1,757, 5) Chuck Brown.

NORICK TEAM SWITCHING FROM FORD TO DODGE

L&R Motorsports announced they are temporarily suspending racing operations of the number 90 truck sponsored by the National Hockey League. Driver and co-owner of the Ford F-150, Ron Norick, says the move was necessary in order to convert all equipment from Ford to Dodge. The team is expected to return with their same sponsor before the end of the racing season.

HENDRICK TRIAL SET TO BEGIN AUGUST 11

Rick Hendrick, owner of the

Winston Cup teams driven by Terry Labonte, Jeff Gordon, and Ricky Craven will have to appear in federal court August 11, 1997, to begin answering to bribery and conspiracy charges.

Hendrick's attorneys had requested a delay in the trial-opening due to Hendrick's continuing battle with cancer, but U.S. District Court Judge Lacy Thornburg issued the order on Friday, July 11.

Hendrick's physician and cancer specialist at the Charlotte Medical Center testified in court that Hendrick was not able to stand trial due to his physical condition. He said that Hendrick sometimes slept 16 hours per day and was able to perform work for only two to four hours a day.

Hendrick was accused in November, 1996 of paying bribes to Honda Automobile company executives in order to get better allocations of new cars and dealerships for his company.

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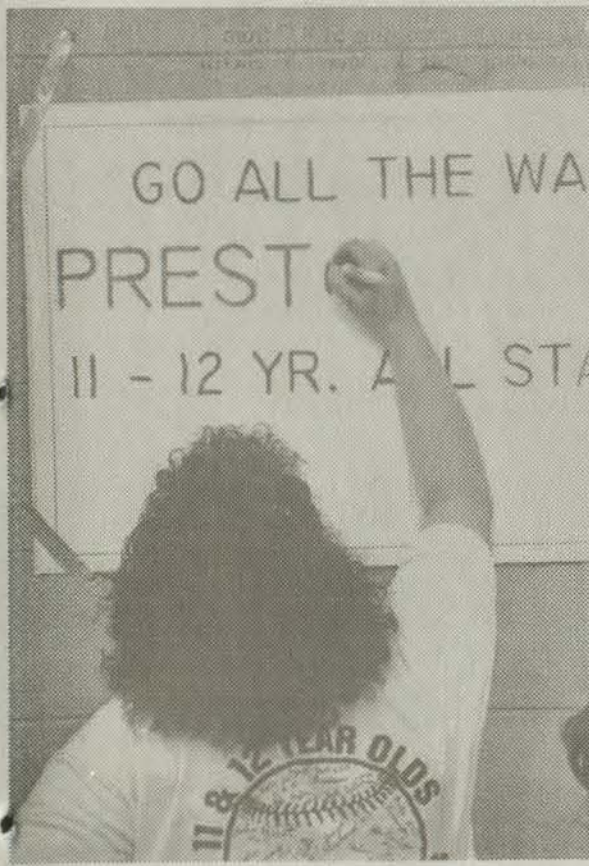
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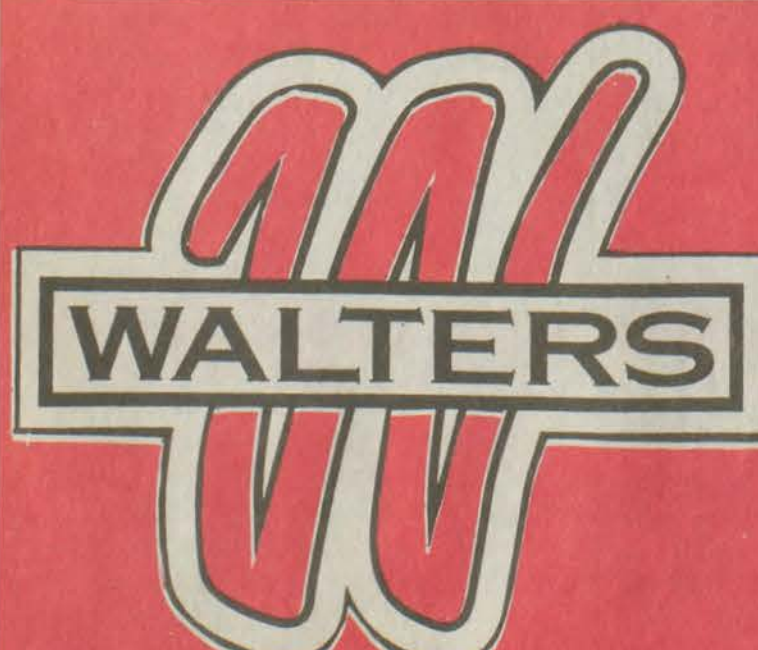
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Lifestyles

Wish granted

Evander, Joe and me

I promised myself I'd take this column nowhere near Mike Tyson and Evander Holyfield. I said I'd leave that up to the dozens of other columnists who thrive on such foolishness. I decided that the silliness of a professional boxing match that ended with one combatant biting off the ear of another was not worthy of such a serious effort as mine.

I'm kidding, of course. The truth is that everybody else pretty much beat me to the punch of all the obvious juicy little puns, and anything I could come up with would have been redundant. I

over 42 species of bacteria live in the human mouth. He said that before antibiotics were invented, one in every three people bitten by another person required amputation of the inflicted body part.

I can't remember ever being bitten by a dog, but when I was growing up in Muddy Branch during the 1940s, a little neighbor kid kind of chomped down on my arm when I wasn't looking. I don't think he drew blood, but I do

remember carrying his teeth marks for several days.

Thank goodness that was a long time ago, before the 42 species of bac-

teria had been invented. It was also before social services could do anything about the kid's mother, who, upon seeing him bite me, bit him.

It was along about that time, too, that my little brother, Joe, and a half dozen of his playmates, while playing with a stray puppy they'd befriended were bitten. Somehow the pup was later determined to have had rabies when someone killed it and sent its head off to be examined.

Anyway, Joe and all his friends had to take something like 14 anti-rabies shots in 14 days. And, if memory serves me correctly, they had to take them in their stomachs.

They probably stood the 14 shots a lot better than they did taunts from the rest of the neighborhood kids who barked at them until the joke got old. I guess I'll have to take Kulman's word for it regarding half the people in the country being bitten by a mammal. I do know for sure, though, that Evander, little brother Joe, and I, can make that claim.

Poison Oak



Clyde Pack

guess what I'm saying is, I've been out clevered.

There is, however, a second phase to reporting such a goofy event and perhaps Linda Kulman hit on it in Monday's edition of U.S. News & World Report.

She said that one of every two Americans—that's 50 percent of us—experience the same thing as did Holyfield: at sometime in our lives, we get bitten by a mammal.

That's about the only thing that Tyson hasn't been called in the dozens of newspaper stories I've read in the last couple of weeks. But, a mammal is what he is all right. And so are dogs and cats, which according to Kulman, inflict the most bites. She said dogs rank number one, biting humans more than a million and a half times a year. Cats, on the other hand, or the other ankle, as the case may be, bite around 400,000 people a year.

Kulman quoted an Arizona dermatologist as saying that he'd much rather be bitten by a dog than a person, because

Make-A-Wish trip to Disney World granted

by Barbara Mack Moore
 The Danville Register & Bee

With her Mickey Mouse ears on and bag in tow, a smiling Courtney Robinette was equipped for the adventure of a lifetime—her trip to Walt Disney World.

The ten-year-old took off Friday, May 30, for her dream trip. She returned home June 4. The trip was compliments of the Make-A-Wish Foundation of Richmond and Western Virginia.

Besides the Mickey bag filled with sunglasses, ears, books and more, Courtney received a Make-A-Wish T-shirt.

Sarah Scott, wish granter and volunteer with the Piedmont Chapter of credit unions which supports the organization, stopped by the Robinettes' house to drop off some balloons and give Courtney a big sendoff to her grand excursion before she left the following day.

Courtney was accompanied by her mother, Teresa Robinette, and grandmother, Margaret Giles.

She flashed her warm brown eyes in excitement over the trip when family and other adults around her talked about it.

The Dry Fork youth has cerebral palsy and epilepsy due to complications at birth. Courtney's mother wanted her to take a trip now because "we wanted to celebrate getting her severe seizure disorder under control with homeopathic remedies; the herbal remedies have done magic."

Courtney has suffered seizures since she was only a few months old.

She has a homebound teacher due to her fragile health, but Courtney has plenty of hobbies to keep her active.

From books and music to riding ponies at the Pony Express Therapeutic Riding Center Inc. in Brosville, Courtney stays on the go. She even had a pony party on her tenth birthday.

Robinette had also recently read about a 16-year-old Caswell County boy named Josh from her church who got his wish granted by the Make-A-Wish Foundation.



Courtney Robinette gets some special attention from her friends Minnie and Mickey Mouse at Disney World. Courtney took her "dream trip" to Disney World in June, courtesy of the Make-A-Wish Foundation.

The trip will be a way for the family to have one good adventure without any schedules of therapy or doctor's appointments.

The trio traveled to Orlando, Florida, from the Piedmont Triad International Airport in Greensboro, North Carolina, after being picked up in Dry Fork in a limo arranged through the Greensboro chapter of Make-A-Wish and returned the reverse route.

In addition, the family had use of a rental van with a lift during the trip.

Her mother even bought new walking shoes just for the occasion, and Courtney's grandmother will have flown for the first time.

They are heading to the Magic Kingdom and

staying for free at the "Give the Kids the World" village of condos which is specially designed for Make-A-Wish foundation recipients, with tour guides who will snap photos. It is equipped with a wheelchair-accessible swimming pool plus hiking trails.

The trio had the option of spending a day at Epcot Center or a day at Sea World and MGM Studios. "I just want her to be out and have fun," said her mother.

The Make-A-Wish Foundation of Richmond and Western Virginia is one of 82 active chapters nationwide which represent the Make-A-Wish

(See Wish, page four)

Ten Years Ago (July 15, 1987)

The Floyd County Board of Education closed the Daniels Creek school and is move closer toward balancing the budget...Charles Hamilton, 30, of East Point, was charged with kidnapping after he took two teenage girls to his home and held them overnight...Bomb threats continued ever after schools closed for the summer...Traffic through Prestonsburg was slowed to a crawl for several hours after strong winds pushed over a broken utility pole...Gary S. Warrix, alias Gary D. Warick, 20, of Indian Hills, was arrested and charged with third degree burglary of the Citizens Bank of Pikeville...There died: Dempsey Logan Belcher, 74, of Weeksbury, July 9; Wallace Elmer Bowe, 78, of Martin, Saturday; Claude K. Pack, 78, of Hueysville, Sunday; Susaner Griffith Ratliff, 75, of Corn Fork, Saturday; Grant Newsome, 65, of Hi Hat, Monday; Bertha Williams, 86, of Dana, Friday.

Twenty Years Ago (July 13, 1977)

The deadlock within the fiscal court which since last Tuesday had held the Floyd County budget in a state of suspension was apparently settled Monday afternoon after several hours of deliberation in a special, closed-door meeting of fiscal court members...Victim of electrocution, Larry N. Simpson, 17-year-old Betsy Layne youth, was killed instantly Monday afternoon when he came in contact with high-voltage wiring while working on air-conditioning ducts beneath a house at Betsy Layne...Although the resignation of Prestonsburg Police Chief Ralph "Hack"

Thornsbury became official with its acceptance by the city council at Thursday night's council meeting, no action was taken toward filling the vacant position...Kenneth Shepherd, who had been released under bond in the shooting death, May 27, of Darrell R. Hicks near David, was dead on arrival at Community Hospital in Warsaw, Ind., Monday, victim of a self-inflicted shotgun wound to the abdomen...The sounds of banjo, guitar, mandolin and fiddle will fill Archer Park here, July 22, 23 and 24, as the Goins Brothers' Floyd County Bluegrass Festival gets underway for the second year...Under a new salary schedule adopted at last

Wednesday night's meeting of the Floyd County Board of Education, teachers in Floyd County schools will earn \$705 more during the coming school year...The body of Dewey Lake's fifth victim this summer, James H. Franklin, 52, Staffordsville postmaster and merchant, was recovered from the Stratton Branch swimming area shortly after noon Friday...This Wednesday through Friday, at the Prestonsburg Drive-In theatre: "Moonshine County Express" and "Great Texas Dynamite Chase." At the Almar Drive-In: "Satan's Cheerleaders" and Naughty Coeds"...Geri Grigsby, of McDowell, the state's top-scoring girl's basketball player, along

with other members of the Kentucky All-Stars, was presented keys to the city and an honorary distinguished citizen certificate by Louisville Mayor Harvey Sloane recently...Married: Miss Jane Ann Wells, of Auxier, and Mr. Charles Edward Goble, of Prestonsburg, June 18, at the First Presbyterian Church here...There died: Mrs. Octavia Meade, 64, of Betsy Layne, Tuesday at her home after suffering an apparent heart attack; Mrs. Bessie Clark Frasure, 69, of Harold, Sunday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin; Rev. Milton Robert Regan, 92, Southern Baptist minister for 75 years, Tuesday morning at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

in Vietnam...Married: Miss Donna Sue McKinney, of Abingdon, Va., and Gerald Allen Helvey, also of Abingdon, June 17...Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Richard K. Sampson, of Berea, a daughter, Leann Kristine, June 25...There died: William Leedy, 74, Friday at his home at Grethel; Rembert Kirksey, 88, of Tram, last Thursday at the Methodist Hospital, Pikeville; Mrs. Delores Hicks DeRossett, formerly of Floyd County, July 6 at Lima, Ohio; Mrs. Lee Ann Wolford Hall, 78, of Harold, July 15 at the Methodist Hospital, Pikeville.

Forty Years Ago (July 11, 1957)

Ison Stumbo, 37, McDowell miner, drowned in Dewey Lake at the Stratton Branch swimming beach Saturday evening after he stepped into deep water...Schools have been scheduled to start, Monday, July 22, in 96 rural districts, it was announced this week by County Superintendent V. O. Turner...A master plan, costing \$3,770,920, for expanding 14 Kentucky state parks, \$55,960 being designated for Dewey Lake park, was recommended last week by a professional consulting firm...Howard Osborne, Dewey reservoir manager, said that 15,600 persons visited Dewey Lake, July 4, to form what is believed to have been the largest gathering ever at this Eastern Kentucky scenic attraction in a single day...Married: Miss Florene Conn, of Lancer, and Mr. Taylor Harris, June 8 at the Methodist Church here; Miss Mary Lou Hicks, of Langley, and John

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Our Yesterdays

(Items taken from The Floyd County Times, 10, 20, 30, 40, 50 and 60 years ago.)

Thirty Years Ago (July 13, 1967)

Dr. Russell L. Hall, Floyd County health officer, said last week that two of the centers to be operated under the comprehensive health program recently financed by the federal government will be opened within the next two to three months...Construction of the Prestonsburg-Inez road is slated to begin this year...The planning phase of stream improvement at Martin is expected to be started soon, it was said...Marine Sgt. Donald Ray Patton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Patton, of Prestonsburg, has been awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action against the enemy

Society News

David Hereford
Society Editor
886-3057

Attends concert

Jenna Fannin and Donna Williams of Prestonsburg, attended the "Counting Crows and Wallflowers" Concert at Riverbend Entertainment Center in Cincinnati, last week.

Vacation in South Carolina

Kathy and Robert Allen II, and sons, have returned home after spending their vacation at Isle of Palms near Charleston, South Carolina.

Miscellaneous shower given for Miss Spears

Marna Belle Spears, bride-elect of Johnny Ray Harris, was honored with a miscellaneous shower, Saturday evening, July 12, in the parlor of the First United Methodist Church.

The color scheme of pink, yellow, white and blue was carried out in the decorations and in the refreshments. The serving table was covered with a white cloth with a centerpiece of summer flowers. Tables throughout the room held crystal, china, linens and other miscellaneous items.

The hostesses for this occasion were Brandi Gearheart, Thelma Spears, Rhonda Burchett, Fran Howell, LaSherri Akers, Patsy Ryan, Debbie Wallen, Judy Flanery, Joyce Ratliff, Lela Daniel, Donna Combs, Theresa Nelson, Kim Hayes, Monica Akers, Mary Martha Wallen, Sherry Akers, Jody Collins and Debbie Akers.

Vacation in Tennessee

Woody and Sheryl Jarrell of Prestonsburg, spent their vacation in Gatlinburg, Tennessee, recently.

Visits cousins here

Shirley Lynch and her brother, Robert Rodebaugh of Belle Vernon, Pennsylvania, were here recently visiting their cousin, Wanda Rodebaugh, at her home on Westminster Street.

Visits from Florida

Laura Virginia Collins of Boca Raton, Florida, was a business visitor here last week. While here, she visited with family members and friends.

Attends convention

Jerry Bryan Lafferty of Prestonsburg, a state delegate, attended the National Education Association Convention at the World Congress Center in Atlanta, Georgia, recently.

There were 900 delegates from all 50 states and territories. His wife, Anita, accompanied him on the trip.

Branham reunion

The family of the late Ballard and Mabel Branham of Prestonsburg, held their 1997 reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sipe in Kennesaw, Georgia, July 4-6.

Members attending were Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Peters and Dave Olinger of Dayton, Ohio; Terry Castens of Walsh, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. Vic Breeline and sons, Shawn and Ryan, of Cincinnati, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Compton and daughters, Allison and Chelsea of Lexington; Mr. and Mrs. Barney Webber of Sun City Center, Florida; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sellers and sons, Eric and Brian of Louisville; Mrs. Carolyn Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hay and Bill Garrett and children, Will and Laura, of Valdosta, Georgia; Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Dinkins and children, Lorne and Stewart of Naylor, Georgia and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sipe and Michelle, of Kennesaw, Georgia, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Simmons and daughter, Erin and niece, Robin.

Salisbury reunion

The Salisbury family, of Prestonsburg and Floyd County, held their reunion, Saturday night, July 5, at the Holiday Inn in Prestonsburg. Family members and friends attending were: Christie Goebel, William O. Goebel, Jason Mayo, Barbara May Hurst, Megan Hurst, John Gorman, Bob and Bonnie Porter, Matthew Thomas, and Claude and Sharron and Jay-Jay of Lexington; Ralph Lewis of Banner; Charlotte and David Thompson of Durham, North Carolina; Dick and Harriet Ann Wiley of Carey, North Carolina; Sally Ann Goebel, Roger and Liza M. McLaughlin, Morgan Kessinger, Madison McLaughlin, Chaddie and Joel Letson, Cynna Selvy and Richard Ciresi of Louisville; Jason and Susann Matthews of Greenville, South Carolina; David, Karen, Graham and Witten Salisbury of Gloucester Point, Virginia; James A. and Christine R. May, Barbara Jean May Hopkins of Frankfort; Jim and

Lynn S. Middleton of Munfordville; Henry Lewis Mayo of Radcliff; Ashley and Chelsey Rowland of Mount Sterling; Mary E. Pigman, Ruth M. Goebel, Mary M. and Tara L. Goebel, Bill and Mary Lynn Pigman, Jack and Doris Ann Hyden, Frank Heinze, Marguerite Sharp, Judy and Wayne Combs and Warren and Natalie, Deborah Goebel, Woody Branham, Sharon and Jesse Vance Samons, Mike and Andrea Meade of Prestonsburg; Astor Meade, Jeanne and Tyler O'Bryan of Hager Hill; and Kathy Mayo Castle of Paintsville.

New arrival

Keith and Angela Williamson of Goble-Roberts, Prestonsburg, announce the birth of their first child, a daughter born July 3, at 7:50 p.m., at Highlands Regional Medical Center. She has been named Emily Elizabeth. She weighed nine lbs. and 12 ozs. and was 21 inches long. The maternal grandparents are Charles and Libby Owens of Prestonsburg and the paternal grandparents are Ronnie and Patsy Williamson of Prestonsburg. The maternal great-grandparents are Cleo Rowe of Prestonsburg, and the late Reverend Charlie Rowe. The paternal great-grandparents are Delta Owens of Prestonsburg, and the late Homer Owens.

Visit family

Ronnie and Laura Goble of Lexington, were here last weekend

visiting their parents, Don and Maxine Goble and David and Peggy Hereford.

Entertains to Breakfast

Mable Brown, Betty Francis, Margaret Blackburn and Jane Howard were hostesses to coffee at the home of Jane Howard on Sunday, June 8, for members and guests of the Prestonsburg High School Class of 1947.

Attending were Polly Allen Price, Emmalene Hall, Nancy Gray Wells, Billie D. Hale, Charles M. Tackett, Dr. and Mrs. Adrian Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fannin, Mr. and Mrs. Paul G. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Sutphin, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Gray, Opal Branham Fannin, Okie Hackworth Shell, Billie Harris, Anna Howell DeRossett, Peggy Harris Daniel, Elizabeth Leake Ramey, Mildred George Branham, Dorothy Leake Harris and Adrian Blackburn.

Visitors from Arizona

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fletcher of Tucson, Arizona, have been visiting relatives in Kentucky for the last two weeks. Mrs. Fletcher is the former Estella Ruth Conley.

The Fletchers and Susan Akers were the guests of Joe and Maxine Osborne from June 18 until June 21. Mrs. Osborne accompanied them to Lexington where they visited their sister-in-law, Nawonia Conley and daughter Ruth.

They returned to Louisville on

June 23 where they were the guests of Susan Akers. During the week, they visited with nieces and nephews and Mrs. Osborne's daughters, Donna Jo Conway and Janet Pack.

A family reunion was held on June 29th where the sisters saw out-of-town nieces and families.

Mrs. Osborne was accompanied home to Bevinville by her daughter, Donna Jo Conway on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher returned to their home in Tuscon, Arizona, on Tuesday, July 1.

The three sisters, Mrs. Fletcher, Mrs. Akers and Mrs. Osborne, spent almost all of the two weeks together.

Mr. Fletcher also visited with his relatives while in Lexington.

Annual Burchett-Cook reunion held

A reunion of the descendants of John and Felia (Cook) Burchett of Banner, was held July 6th at the home of Lorene (Burchett) Slone at Banner.

Those attending were: Lorene Slone of Banner; Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Boyd and Brittany of Dayton, Ohio; Johnny, Brenda, Erika, Andrea, Alicia, and Lauren Boyd of Wichita, Kansas.

Alan, Wadonna and Isaac Morehead and Josh Evans of Midland, Texas; Elmer, Ruth Ann and LeAnn Davis, Don and Kayla Mitchell, Chris Barker, Robert Davis and Teresa Quillen, all of Prestonsburg.

Mike Davis of Banner and Sherri Stumbo of McDowell; Tom, Phyllis, Tommy, Mark and Angie Ousley of Banner; John and Kristie Ousley of Morehead; Destiny Morgan of Banner; Ray and Shirley Burchett of Ashland.

John and Angelia Parsons of Lexington; Ruth and Mason Holt of Martin; Robert and Zora Lee Meade of Xenia, Ohio; Butch and Margie Cook of Wakeman, Ohio; Celia Hall of Ivel; Green and Braska Hamilton of Garrett.

Brian Ratliff of Prestonsburg; Ida and Richard Click of Banner; Christine Bradford of Blue River; Gloriana and Ethan Layne of Langley; James, Kim, Zachery, Kristen and Megan Layne of Martin; Anna Rose, Larry David and Cindy Collins of Oil Springs; and Chris Potter of Harold.

The Burchett-Cook reunion is held each year on the fourth of July weekend.

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Anita Raye Kinnunen, 26, of Prestonsburg, and Tony Ray Sexton, 31, of Prestonsburg.

Sunny Renee Miller, 18, of Prestonsburg, and Benjamin Levi Spurlock, 19, of Prestonsburg.

Jennifer Renee Akers, 29, of Dana, and Chad Donovan Mitchell, 23, of Beaver.

LaDonna Ruth Akers, 24, of Martin, and Thomas Joel Gibson, 24, of Hueysville.

Amanda Brooke Salyers, 18, of Hueysville, and Brian Keith Lafferty, 22, of Hippo.

Janet Slone, 34, of Bevsinsville, and Willie Gene Reynolds, 41, of Bevsinsville.

Billie L. Music, 54, of Flat Gap, and Ron Laney, 57, of Offutt.

Tonya Lynn Lewis, 29, of Martin, and Gary Lee Artrip, 43, of Martin.

Lisa Gail Boyd, 32, of Dana, and Otis L. Kidd, 30, of Hazel Green.

Lora Ollie Hall, 18, of Galveston, and Dennis Lynn Tackett, 21, of Beaver.

Delia Ellen Conley, 19, of Hueysville, and Robert Harold Griffith III, 22, of Topmost.

Elizabeth Grace Elkins, 36, of Weeksbury, and Douglas Edward Hurt, 35, of Weeksbury.

Rhonda Lynn Thornsby, 21, of Wheelwright, and Randy Ray Boyd, 25, of Wheelwright.

To Catch A Thief

Note: The Floyd County Sheriff's Department will be providing information on a weekly basis concerning thefts in the county. Motorized items reported stolen will include the vehicle's VIN (vehicle identification number), engine number or serial number when provided.

- 1996, Honda TRX 300, four-wheeler, red, VIN 4787E1507VA803556; engine number 8902944; reported stolen April 11 from the Tinker Fork area of Mud Creek.
 - 1993, Honda 4TRAX, four-wheeler, red, VIN 478TE1504PA517389; engine number TE15E8521735; reported stolen February 4 from the Martin area.
 - Model 66 stainless steel .357 Smith & Wesson revolver, serial number 9K84984, reported stolen June 16 from the Prestonsburg area.
 - 1996 Honda TRX 300, four-wheeler, red, VIN 478TE1502TA823386, red, reported stolen December 10 from the Martin area.
 - Sears Craftsman 20-inch cut mulcher/mower, gray aluminum color, serial number 090392M-009939; reported stolen in April from the Maytown area.
- Anyone with information about any of the stolen items listed should call sheriff's chief detective Jim Riederick at 886-6711. Anyone wanting to report items stolen can also call detective Riederick.
- To assist in the recovery of stolen items, persons should record all serial and VIN numbers on their property and a hidden identification mark that cannot be changed should also be put on the merchandise.

Property Transfers

George and Evelyn McKinney to George McKinney Jr., property on Toler Creek.

Stanley R. and Madelyn S. Burchett to Michael M. and Chrystal L. Hansel, property on Cow Creek.

Bernice Hansford to George and Lovella Hansford, property location not listed.

Big Branch Inc. and Joe D. Weddington to Appalachian Land Company, property on Big Branch of Bull Creek.

Joe D. Weddington to Appalachian Land Company, property on Ball Alley Curve.

Independent Professional Underwriters Inc. and Joe D. Weddington to Appalachian Land Company, property at Bull Creek.

3JM Company Inc. and Joe D. Weddington to Appalachian Land Company, property on Lancer-Water Gap Road.

Margaret Crisp, by her lawful attorney in fact, Sharon Harris,

Eugene and Noma Jean Crisp, Dorothy Mae and Frank Crisp, Louise Hinkle, Myrtle Maxine Gibson, Patsy Crisp Osborne and James H. Osborne, Teresa Lynn Crisp Hicks, and Joyce A. Crisp to Berlyn Little, property location not listed.

Edward and Maxie Avonelle Patrick to Lacinda Patrick Carr, Douglas Dwayne Carr and Mashanna Carr, property at Tram.

Margie Morrison to Genevieve Perry, property on John's Creek.

Georgie Tackett, Cassie Tackett, Orville Tackett, Louise Tackett, Fay Hamilton, Charles E. Hamilton, Dorothy Hall, Wayne C. Hall, Andy B. Tackett, Norma J. Tackett, Dixie Lee Tackett, Charles E. Tackett, Eileen L. Tussey, Billy F. Tussey, Edith Jones and Homer Jones Jr. to Ricky Hamilton and Wanda L. Hamilton, property location not listed.

Farm Credit Services of Mid-America, ACA to D & D Investments, property on Bear Hollow of Little Paint.

Christine Taylor to Jean McCown, property location not listed.

Arlen Johnson and Mildred Ilene Johnson to Ballard Harris, two tracts of property, location not listed.

Floyd County Board of Education to Gary and Sandra Branham, property location not listed.

Ladine Moore to Carol Sue Hall, property location not listed.

Dana Sue Clifton to Tony Wakeland, two tracts of property, location not listed.

Tracy Valentour and Barbara Valentour to Charlene Martin, property location not listed.

Vivian Mitchell Keathley and Leroy Keathley to Interstate Natural Gas Company, property at the mouth of Mitchell Branch, near Teaberry.

Troy W. Blackburn to Glenneth

C. Blackburn and Hilda Y. Blackburn, property location not listed.

Rockford and Roberta Sturgill to Leonard J. and Ethel Sturgill, property on Store House Hollow on Loars Branch.

Laura H. and Ronald E. Goble to Thomas B. Thompson Jr., property in Prestonsburg.

Oma Kidd Ferrell to Clarence E. Kidd, property on Tanyard Branch of Little Mud Creek.

Christopher Gates to Paul and Debbie Combs, property location not listed.

Jeffery B. and Sarah Lawson to Shawn R. and Christy S. Hamilton, property on Right Fork of Beaver Creek.

Jimmy Dean Conn and James Edward Conn Jr. and Michelle Conn to Michael and Nancy Alley, property at Betsy Layne.

Alma Sammons to Billy and Brenda Sammons, property location not listed.

Herman and Dawn Caudill to James A. and Sandra Pack, property location not listed.

Irene Fields to Willina Gwenevere Hayes, property near Stanville.

Leota B. Weaver and Benjamin Lloyd Weaver to Mark Boleyn, property location not listed.

Brenda and Clyde Bradley to Robert Duncan, property of David Community Development Corporation.

Benny Ray Bailey, executive officer for East Kentucky Health Services Inc. to Gene Mullins, mayor of the city of Wayland, property at Wayland.

Richard Samons Jr. and Janet Samons to Keith Halbert, property on Cane Fork of Arkansas Creek.

Bob and Greta Music, and Mearl Music to James Ramey and Patricia Williams, property on Little Paint Creek.

E. Martin McGuire, master commissioner to the Commonwealth of

Kentucky, commissioner's deed to property formerly owned by Auxier Road Estate Company, location not listed.

E. Martin McGuire, master commissioner, to the Commonwealth of Kentucky, commissioner's deed to property formerly owned by Big 3 Mineral Corporation, Branham and Baker Coal Company Inc., Frank Ed Stephen, and Lawana Stephens, property location not listed.

E. Martin McGuire, master commissioner to the Commonwealth of Kentucky, commissioner's deed to property formerly owned by Harry Richard Gibson, property location not listed.

E. Martin McGuire, master commissioner to the Commonwealth of Kentucky, commissioner's deed to property formerly owned by Abigail Grant et al., property loca-

tion not listed.

Arnold Johnson and Ruth Johnson to Clarence Johnson and Louetta Johnson, property location not listed.

C R S Properties Inc. to B. W. McDonald, property location not listed.

Tina Marie Caudill and Ray Caudill Jr. to Tim Ray Dye, property on Spewing Camp Branch of Beaver Creek.

Diane and Steve Ousley to James Goff and Patty Goff, property on Pinhook Branch.

Millie Martin to Barry Dean Martin, property location not listed.

Prestonsburg Investors Inc. to Extendacare Inc., property known as Mountain Manor Nursing Home of Prestonsburg.

P & P Investors Inc. to Extendacare Inc., property known

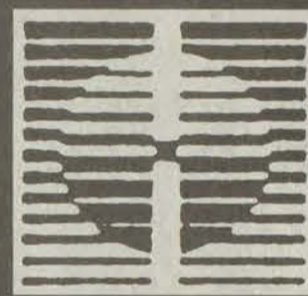
as Riverview Manor Nursing Home in Prestonsburg.

Restaurant, School, and Mobile Home Park Inspections

Editor's Note: All inspections are made by Floyd County Health Department environmentalists John L. Bailey and Russell Wallace.

- Hardee's Restaurant, not rated: Inspection made due to complaint received at the Floyd County Health Department. Inspector said he found no evidence of the complaint item.
- Comfort Suites, 100: Very clean. No violations found at any of the units inspected.

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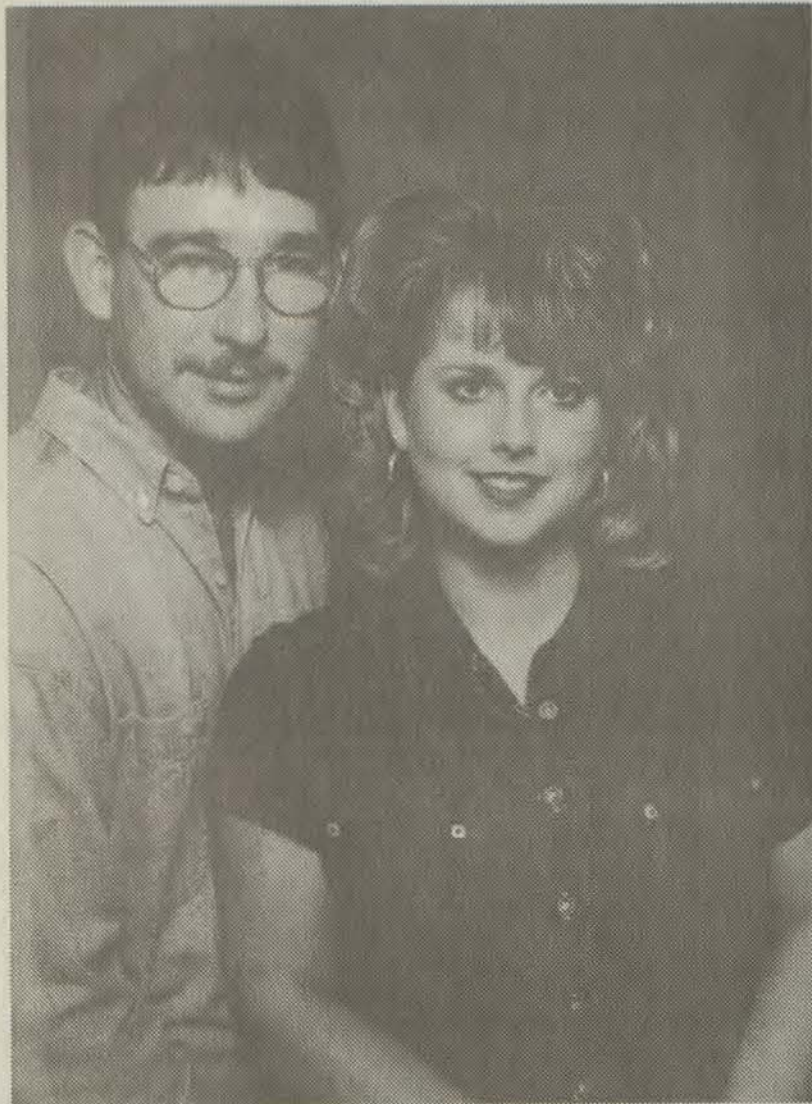
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Engagements



Nelson-Fields

Mr. and Mrs. William D. Nelson of Banner, announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Bridgett, to James D. Fields, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Fields of Hazard. The wedding ceremony will take place at 6:30 p.m., July 26, at the Boldman Freewill Baptist Church. The couple will reside in Hazard.



Belve LaVonne Akers and Jamie Dwayne Hall

Akers, Hall to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Akers Jr. of Banner, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Belve LaVonne Akers, to Jamie Dwayne Hall, son of Diana Hall of Prestonsburg, and Dwayne Hall of McDowell.

Belve is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Akers of Banner, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Grover Johnson.

Jamie is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. James Hall of McDowell, and Mr. and Mrs. Red Hayes of Langley.

The wedding will be Saturday, July 19, at 12:30 p.m. at the Katy Friend Freewill Baptist Church. The custom of an open wedding will be observed.



Crystal Jones and James W. Woods Jr.

Jones, Woods to wed

Crystal Jones, daughter of Ray and Sue Jones of Bevinsville, and James W. Woods Jr., son of James and Sheryl Woods of Weeksbury, announce their forthcoming marriage.

Jones is a 1995 graduate of South Floyd High School and attended Pikeville College. Her maternal grandparents are Ishmael and Magnolia Hall of Bevinsville. Her paternal grandparents are the late Thomas Tilden and Lillie Jones.

Woods is a 1994 graduate of South Floyd High School and attended Pikeville College. His maternal grandparents are Imogene Tackett of Price and the late Truman Tackett. His paternal grandparents are Alberta Woods of Weeksbury and the late Walter Woods.

The wedding will be held on July 26 at 5:30 p.m. at The First Baptist Church of Pikeville. The custom of an open wedding will be observed.

After their honeymoon in Nashville, the couple will reside in Highland Heights and attend Northern Kentucky University.



Amanda Brooke Salyers and Brian Keith Lafferty

Salyers, Lafferty to wed

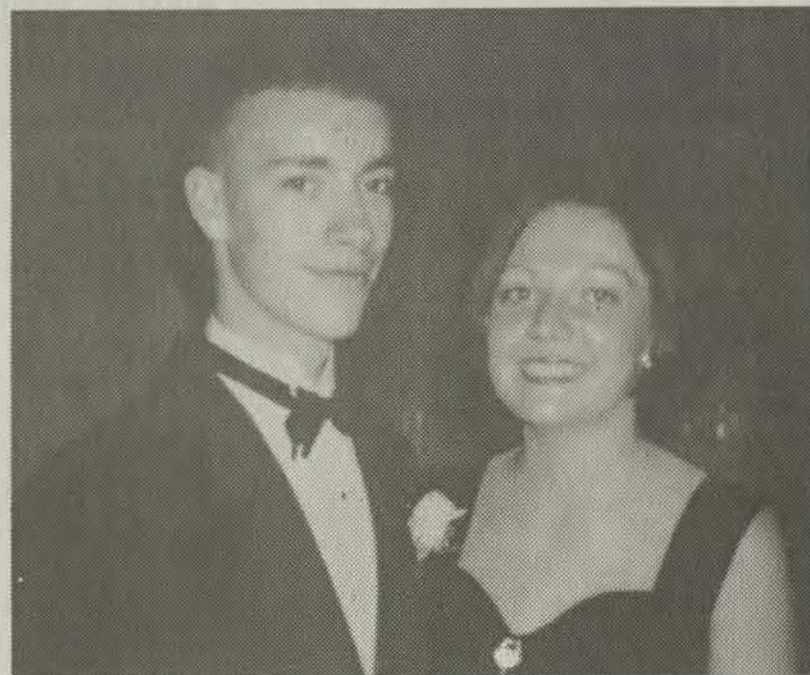
Jack L. Salyers of Hueysville, and Mildred Sue Thacker of Pikeville, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Amanda Brooke Salyers, and Brian Keith Lafferty, the son of Carlos and Katherine Lafferty of Hippo.

The bride-elect is a 1996 graduate of Pikeville High School and is a full-time student at Prestonsburg Community College. She is currently employed at the Department of Human Resources.

Lafferty is a 1992 graduate of Allen Central High School and a 1996 graduate of Mid America College of Funeral Services. He is employed as an assistant funeral director/embalmer at Hall Funeral Home in Martin.

The wedding will take place July 19, at the Hueysville Church of Christ at 2:30 p.m., with Jeff Prater performing the ceremony. The tradition of an open wedding will be observed.

The reception will be held at the Hueysville Church of Christ kitchen. The couple will reside in Floyd County.



Amanda Samons and Willie Thomas Crase

Samons-Crase to wed

Lundy and Margie Samons of Martin, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Amanda, to Willie Thomas Crase Jr., son of Willie and Charlene Crase of Wayland.

Amanda, a 1996 graduate of Allen Central High School, is currently attending Prestonsburg Community College.

Willie, a 1995 graduate of Allen Central High School, is currently attending Kentucky Tech Mayo RTC.

The bride-to-be will be given in marriage by her father, Lundy Samons. Serving as maid of honor will be Amy Crum and bridesmaids will be Susan Jacobs, Elizabeth Stratton, Lisa Samons, Amanda Wright, Cindy Crase, and Christina Crase. Serving as flower girl will be Kayla Halbert and ring bearer, Mike Duff; best man, Craig Crase and Shawn Tussey and Corey Heintzelman as ushers.

The wedding will be held Saturday, July 19, at 2 p.m. at the Martin Methodist Church with Donnie Hackworth officiating at the ceremony.

A reception will be given by family and friends following the ceremony at the church.

Yesterdays — (Continued from page one)

"Sonny" Harris, of Emma, July 6 at the Free will Baptist Church near Emma...Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Patton, of Maytown, a son, July 7 at the Beaver Valley Hospital...There died: Mrs. Myrtle Hale Helton, 47, formerly of Middle Creek, Monday in an auto accident near her home in Silver Lake, Ind.; Menifee Whitaker, 68, July 3 at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; William Newsome, of Halo, July 7 at the McDowell Memorial Hospital.

Fifty Years Ago (July 10, 1947)

Prohibition returns to Floyd County tonite at midnight; liquor stores are closing...The proposed Dewey Dam project for 1948 is in question. The dam, which was begun in 1946, stands 60 percent incomplete and may receive no funds from Congress this year...John L. Lewis wins "best" contract for miners, raising daily wage from \$11.85 for nine hours to \$13.05 for eight...Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Preston, a daughter, Wynn Lee, at Prestonsburg General Hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Layne, of Tram, a son, Wendell Ray...Married: Miss Wilma Allen, of Auxier, and Mr. Harle Sturgill, of East Point, July 2 at the home of the bride's parents...There died: Mrs. Cosbie Frazier, 68, of Bull Creek; Cecil Sturgill, 11, of Osborn, drowned July 4 in the Big Sandy; Kermit Allen, 26-year-old war veteran of Wayland, in the VA hospital in Huntington, W. Va.; Mrs. Arminda Hall, 66, of Melvin.

Sixty Years Ago (July 9, 1937)

Wheelwright mines have resumed operation after shut-down...Three new school buses make five county routes serving practically all the county...The July 4 celebration was a great success with speeches by Mayor Arthur C. Carter, State Senator Joe P. Tackett, and Mrs. Mary D. Allen, and various activities, including the public wedding of Miss Audia Reffett and Alex Shepherd, of Blue River...At the movies... "The Woman I Love" with Paul Muni and Miriam Hopkins...There died: Frank Burchett, 50, at his Dwale home; Marvin Tackett, 36, of McDowell, of an accidentally self-inflicted shotgun wound; Levi Moore, 17, of Clear Creek of an accidentally self-inflicted shotgun wound; Ben Music, 37-year-old Garrett mine foreman, at his home.



Thanks to the Make-A-Wish Foundation Courtney's dream came true in June when she took a trip to Disney World.

Wish

(Continued from page one) Foundation of America which was founded in 1987.

Since that time, more than 500 wishes have been granted, noted Karen Webb, executive director of the Richmond and Western Virginia chapter.

She pointed out that some of the wishes range from a shopping spree and getting a puppy, to meeting celebrities or getting a computer for everyday activities. One young man's wish is to meet Donald Trump, but that hasn't come to fruition yet.

Youths 18 and under are eligible to have their wishes granted if they are battling a life-threatening illness or set of illnesses, as well as they can't have had a wish granted by any other agency.

Ninety cents of every dollar donated to Make-A-Wish goes directly to granting wishes.

Editor's Note: Courtney Robinette is originally from Floyd County. She is the niece of Mae Ryan of Floyd County.

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Births

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June 30: A son, Carl Jeremiah,



Birth announced

Janice Hall and Donald Kidd of Prestonsburg, announce the birth of their daughter, Amber Rae Kidd on June 24 at Highlands Regional Medical Center. She weighed 8 lb. 15 ozs. and was 21 inches long. Maternal grandparents are Peggy Prater of Wayland, and Charles Hall of Martin. Paternal grandparents are Clarence Kidd of Harold and the late Nancy (Kidd) Hoxie. Her sisters are Andra Kidd, Tina Kidd, Megan Kidd and Felicia Blanton.

Son born

Sherry and William Brian Setser announce the birth of their son, Nathaniel Keith, born April 21, at Kettering Memorial Hospital.

Maternal grandparents are Yvonne and Lawrence Reedy of Germantown.

Paternal grandparents are Aloha and Frank Setser.

Great-grandparents are Ada Fischer of Centerville, Lawrence J. Reedy, Sr. of Columbus, and Wanda Rodebaugh of Prestonsburg.

to Vicki Lynn and Carl Jr. Scott of Inez; a son, Austin Lance, to Earleena S. and Wayne Hunt of Prestonsburg; a son, Miles Scott, to Angela Kay and Michael Todd Goodman of Prestonsburg; a son, Kevin Lee, II, to Erica and Kevin Lee Reid of Salyersville.

July 1: A son, Corey-Devon, to Pamela Lou and Timothy Von Davis of Hippo; a daughter, Chelsea Paige, to Kristy Lynn and Gary M. Hemlock of Kite; a daughter, Angela Michelle, to Stephanie Ann Stacy of Inez; a daughter, Hannah Brooke, to Jamie R. and Derric Hatfield of Prestonsburg; a son, Tyler Hobert, to Terri Denise and Michael Lewis Rice of Nippa.

July 2: A son, Kyle Joseph Thompson, to Jessica Johnson of



Birth announced

Donald and Brenda Ousley, of Martin, announce the birth of their daughter, Kaitlyn Dawn Ousley, born on May 23, at Highlands Regional Medical Center. She weighed 7 lb. 5 oz. and was 20 1/2" long. She has a big sister, Whitney Breann Ousley. Her grandparents are Willis and Kansas "Bo" Ousley of Martin, Ocie Manuel of Martin and the late Arnold "Duck" Manuel. Her great-grandparents are Anna Isaac of Prestonsburg and Ida Roberts of Lexington.

Kite; a son, Shane Austin, to Shelly Ann and Sam Mullins of Salyersville; a daughter, Skyleer Jade Winnett to Tangela Fluty of Beauty; a son, Adam Lindsey, to Ida Malissa and Lindsey Jean Cornette of Tomahawk.

July 3: A daughter, Emily Elizabeth, to Angela Elizabeth and Keith David Williamson of Prestonsburg.

July 4: A daughter, Katlin Elizabeth, to Kimberly Dawn and Roy A. Daniels of Nippa.

July 5: A daughter, Cassandra Faith, to Christie Dawn and Matthew Wayne Caudill of Louisa.

July 6: A son, David Aaron Hoover, to Christie Rae Shepherd of Martin.

July 7: A son, Wallace Alexander, to Emma and Charles Wallace Cook of Inez; a daughter, Gwendolyn Kandice, to Kandy Lee and Jeffrey Spriggs of Drift; a daughter, Adrien Taylor Holbrook, to Teresa Salyers of Salyersville; a son, Seth Evan Ousley, to Stephanie Ward of Martin.

July 8: A daughter, Madison Haley, to Lisa C. and Todd A. Meade of Paintsville.

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June 11: A son, Ethan Blake, to Rebecca Mae and Mickey Lee Johnson; a daughter, Temecka Danielle, to Rebecca Lynn and Billy Tay Evans.

June 16: A son, Jamie Curtis, to Virginia Lea Henderson; a son, Justin Tyler, to Rebecca Jane Blackburn.

June 17: A son, Micheal Austin, to Kimberly Dawn and William Junior Elkins; a daughter, Sarah McKenzie, to Krista Kay and Johnny Dewayne Shumate.

June 18: A son, John Castleton Kilgore II, to Felicia Margie and John Castleton Kilgore; a daughter, Rebecca Anne, to Rachel Anne and Kenny Lane Bowman.

June 19: A son, Hunter Andrew,

Loretta Lynn and James Wilbur Kestner; a daughter, Abigail Loren, to Charlene Workman.

June 20: A daughter, Amber Nichole, to Melissa Sue and John Allen Taylor.

June 23: A daughter, Mariah Dawn Ratliff, to Misty Dawn Reynolds and Thomas Ratliff Jr.

June 24: A son, Kash Layne, to Lela Layne and Jeffrey Scott Daniel; a daughter, Kelley Makrysta, to Jennifer Marie and Ronald Terry James; a son, Jack Garrett, to Anita Lynn and James William Helvey; a son, William Lucas, to Jane Leigh and Kevin

Gene Maynard; a daughter, Shelley Maria, to Patty Sue and Danny Ray Stiltner.

June 26: A daughter, Makala Cheyenne, to Pamela Jean and Scottie Wayne Reed; a daughter, Taylor Madison, to Misty Donnetta Primeau.

June 27: A daughter, Danielle Madison, to Teri Jo and Danny Wayne Redding; a daughter, Haley Trudine, to Barbara Shannon and John Leslie Hancock.

June 28: A daughter, Amy Leann, to Melissa Jan and Brady Curry; a daughter, Allison Brooke, to Wendy Gail and Joey Dean

Luster; a son, Dalton Edwin, to Robyn Evyonne and Roy Gene Coleman.

June 29: A son, Johnny Kyle, to Susan Denise and Johnny Dewayne Martin; a daughter, Lauren Paige, to Laura Lea Edmonds and Steven Todd Adkins; a daughter, Emily Susan Keene, to Madonna Sheryl Lycans and Kristopher Lloyd Keene; a daughter, Gabrielle Alysa, to Monica Lynn and Dana Wilson Connelley.

June 30: A son, Andrew Thomas Damron, to Deborah Lynn Ratliff and Dennis Ray Damron.

Society

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The Prestonsburg High School Class of 1947 celebrated their 50th reunion at the Holiday Inn June 7.

1947 Class holds reunion

The Prestonsburg High School class of 1947 celebrated their 50th Class Reunion at the Holiday Inn, June 7.

Attending were: Polly Allen Price of New Albany, Indiana; Joyce Burchett of San Antonio, Texas; Nancy Gray Wells of Brunswick, Ohio; Billie D. Hale of Wingdale, New York; Emmalene Hall of Lexington; Mr. and Mrs.

Paul G. Hall of Winchester; Dr. and Mrs. Adrian Collins of South Shore; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fannin of Palm Bay, Florida; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rice of Jackson; Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Sutphin of Lexington; Charles M. Tackett of Nicholasville; Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Gray of East Point; Mrs. Opal Hall of Morehead; Mable Allen, Opal Branham Fannin, Betty Davis

Francis, Mable Holbrook Brown, Okie Hackworth Shell, Jane Davis Howard, Billie Harris, Dorothy Leake Harris, Anna Howell DeRossett, Peggy Harris Daniel, Elizabeth Leake Ramey, Mildred George Branham, Willie J. May, Mr. and Mrs. Isom Poe, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Fannin, all of Prestonsburg.

Removing mildew from household surfaces

Do you think that you have mildew in your home? Perhaps you see it growing on walls or floors or perhaps you smell a musty odor. Sometimes dirt on plant, tile or wood also looks like mildew. To be sure that it is mildew, put a few drops of household bleach solution on the discolored surface. Mildew will bleach out in a minute or two but most dirt will not.

Several chemicals can be used for removing mildew. Test any of them in any inconspicuous area first, however. Chemicals react differently with various surfaces and may harm some surfaces or cause colors to bleed.

1. Rubbing alcohol solution is made by mixing half alcohol and half water.

2. Hydrogen peroxide can be used by mixing 2 tablespoons with 1 gallon water.

3. Tri-sodium phosphate (TSP) mixed 4 to 6 tablespoons per gallon of water works well on many surfaces.

4. Chlorine bleach kills spores and removes stains when mixed 1/2 to 1 cup per gallon of water.

If natural finished or painted wood surfaces have mildewed, use heat and increase the air circulation to get the wood as dry as possible. Then thoroughly clean any mildewed surfaces, woodwork and other wooden parts by scrubbing with a mild alkali, such as washing soda or trisodium phosphate (8 to 10 tablespoons to a gallon of water). Disinfectants, such as a quaternary disinfectant or pentachlorophenolate can also be used. (Paint and grocery stores and janitors' supply houses sell these products under various trade names). Rinse the wood well with clear water and allow the wood to dry thoroughly. If the mold has grown under the paint or varnish, remove all of the paint or varnish from the stained areas. Then scrub with a solution containing 8 to 10 tablespoons of trisodium phosphate and 1 cup of household chlorine bleach to a gallon of water. Stronger solutions can be used if necessary. Wear rubber gloves to protect your hands from the strong chemicals.

Mildew stains on plastic coated paneling, vinyl or plastic coated wall covering and hard surface floors can be wiped with a cloth

dipped in warm sudsy water to which a few drops of ammonia have been added. Rinse well with clear water and wipe dry. If the stain is still there, test in an inconspicuous place and then apply a commercial mildew stain remover.

Damp wallpaper can be dried either by heating or air conditioning the area. Then rinse the mildewed

spicuous area before using, however.

Bathrooms can be scrubbed with a solution of 1 quart chlorine bleach, 1 tablespoon liquid detergent and 9 quarts water. Use a small brush to scrub grout lines. Use care not to mix chlorine bleach with any other cleaning products. Rinse thoroughly after each cleaning chemical has been applied and before any other cleaning solution is used. Be sure to work in a well-ventilated room and avoid breathing fumes as much as possible.

Plastic shower curtains with mildew stains can be scrubbed with a brush dipped in a solution of warm water and soap or detergent. If the item can be bleached (spot test if necessary), use a chlorine solution of 1/2 cup to 1 cup chlorine bleach to 1 gallon of water. Rinse and dry. To help prevent mildew stains, pull the shower curtain along the rod after showering.

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area with a cloth dipped in suds and wrung. Rinse with clear water. Take care not to wet the paper more than necessary. Do not scrub it. Then pat with a soft, dry cloth. If stains remain, bleach with a household bleach and water solution. Finish by sponging with a cloth wrung out of clear water. For small stains, a commercial ink eradicator may be useful. Be sure to test in an incon-

Birthdays



June birthdays

Mearl Tackett, Sherrie Herrington and Kenis Roe Evans celebrated their June birthdays at the Mud Creek Senior Citizens Center along with family and friends. Sherrie is an employee at the center. A pot luck lunch was served along with birthday cake. The cake was donated by Pikeville National Bank. The seniors who were unable to attend were Pearl Jones, Hazel Hamilton, Bascom Hall and John Hamilton Jr.

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County Kettle

Editor's note: The following recipes are reprinted from *Cooking with Friends*, a cookbook compiled by residents of the Prestonsburg Housing Authority. The proceeds from the sale of the cookbook will be used to purchase picnic tables for the residents' use in Green Acres, Indian Hills, and Dixie. The cookbook may be purchased at the Prestonsburg Housing Authority offices at a cost of \$7 per cookbook. For more information about the cookbook, call 886-2717.

CREAMY POTATO SOUP
8 slices bacon (cut up)
2 medium potatoes
1 can cream of chicken soup
1/4 tsp. salt
Chopped parsley
1 c. onions
1 c. water
1 1/2 c. milk
1/4 tsp. pepper
In three-quart pan, fry bacon to crisp. Add onions and cook 2-3 minutes. Pour off fat from bacon. Add water and potato cubes, simmer until potatoes are tender. Stir in soup, milk, salt, pepper and parsley. Heat to serve. Do not boil.
Eva Buck

COUNTRY BEEF STEW
1 1/2 lbs. beef stew meat, cut into strips
1/4 c. all purpose flour
2 Tbsp. vegetable oil
1 c. chopped onion
1 tsp. salt
1/8 tsp. pepper
1 1/4 c. condensed cream of mushroom soup
1/2 c. undiluted Carnation evaporated milk
1/2 c. water
1 pkg., 16 oz., frozen mixed vegetables
Coat meat with flour. Heat oil in heavy 3-quart saucepan; brown meat and onion. Stir in salt, pepper, soup, evaporated milk, and

water. Bring to a boil; reduce heat, cover and cook 1 hour, stirring occasionally. Add frozen vegetables; return to a boil. Reduce heat; cover and cook 15 minutes or until vegetables are tender, stirring occasionally. For chunkier stew, cut meat into cubes; increase cooking time.
Tishie Powers

MOM'S CHICKEN SOUP
1 (2 1/2-3 lb.) chicken, with giblets, quartered
2 1/2 quart water
1 Tbsp. salt
1 medium onion
6 whole peppercorns
6 celery stalks
6 whole carrots, divided
2 c. cooked rice or fine egg noodles
1/4 c. chopped fresh parsley
3-4 drops yellow food coloring
Put in all ingredients except rice or noodles and bring to a boil. Add rice or noodles (your choice) to chicken mixture and cook until tender. Serves 10-12.
William Lafferty

DUMPLINGS
2 c. sifted Hudson Cream self rising flour
1/3-1/2 c. milk
3 Tbsp. melted shortening
1 egg
Beat egg until smooth; add milk and melted shortening. Mix thoroughly. Pour this into the flour and mix to a very soft dough. Drop by spoonfuls into boiling broth or slightly thickened stew. Cover tightly and cook 10-14 minutes depending on size of dumplings.
Jimmy D. Harmon

CHILI
2 lb. ground beef (browned)
2 tsp. oil
1 (21 oz.) can beans
6 oz. tomato paste

10 oz. pkg. French onion soup mix
1 tsp. chili powder
Mix ground beef, oil, beans and tomato paste, simmer. Add French onion mix and chili powder to chili. Cook until well done.

BROCCOLI AND CHEESE CASSEROLE
3 pkgs. chopped broccoli
1/3 c. mayonnaise
8 oz. cheddar cheese
1 can cream of mushroom soup
2 eggs, beaten
1 c. crushed Hi Ho crackers
Cook broccoli and drain. Add soup, mayonnaise, eggs and 1/2 of cheese. Put into a 2-quart casserole dish. Add rest of cheese on top, then sprinkle with crushed cracker crumbs. Bake at 350° for about 25 minutes or until brown on top. Serves 8.
Eric Phelps

EASY APPLE COBBLER
Cobbler:
2 c. apples
2/3 c. sugar
1 Tbsp. flour
1/2 tsp. cinnamon
1 Tbsp. butter
1/4 tsp. salt
1/4 c. water
1 tsp. vanilla
Combine apples, sugar, cinna-

mon, salt, water, vanilla, and flour. Mix gently and spoon into a lightly greased baking dish. Dot with butter and set aside.

Topping:
1/2 c. flour
1/2 c. sugar
1 egg slightly beaten
1/4 tsp. salt
2 Tbsp. butter
Combine flour, sugar, salt, butter and eggs. Mix well. Spoon over apple mixture, equal portions. Bake at 375° for 30 to 35 minutes.

HOT TAMALES PIE
1 green pepper, chopped
2 medium onions, chopped
1/2 c. celery
1 1/2 lbs. hamburger
1 can tomatoes
1 can whole kernel corn
Salt and pepper to taste
Chili powder, optional
Corn meal mix (pkg.)
Sauté pepper, onions and celery until clear in margarine. Remove, to brown hamburger in same pan. Put all ingredients in baking dish with cornmeal mix on top. Bake until brown at 350° for 45 minutes.
Marie Jerkins

APPLESAUCE CAKE
1 c. vegetable oil
1 16 oz. can applesauce

2 c. sugar
3 c. flour
2 tsp. baking powder
1 tsp. soda
2 tsp. cloves
2 tsp. nutmeg
2 tsp. cinnamon
1 tsp. salt
1 c. pecans or walnuts, chopped
1 c. raisins
Mix oil, applesauce, and sugar in one bowl. Blend all other ingredients into another bowl. Mix together and pour into a tube or loaf pan. Bake at 325° for one hour, until cake is well done.
Edna Gray

BARBECUED ISLAND CHICKEN
3/4 cup firmly packed dark brown sugar

1/2 cup Wish-Bone Italian Dressing
1/2 cup pineapple juice
2 tsp. chopped fresh mint
1 1/2 tsp. grated fresh ginger
6 boneless, skinless chicken breast halves (about 2 lbs.)
For marinade, in small bowl, combine all ingredients except chicken. In large, shallow nonaluminum baking dish or plastic bag, pour 1 cup marinade over chicken; turn to coat. Cover, or close bag, and marinate in refrigerator, turning occasionally, up to 3 hours. Refrigerate remaining 1/2 cup marinade.
Remove chicken from marinade, discarding marinade.
Grill or broil chicken, brushing with refrigerated marinade until chicken is no longer pink. Serve, if desired, with grilled pineapple wedges.

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Senior citizens throughout the Appalachia, I trust you had a great Fourth of July. I had to be away due to sickness and a death in the family.

Now, I'm getting back in the "groove" at work. However, due to unexpected circumstances, a couple of weeks have passed since I've visited with you through "Sunshine Lines."

Sunshine Lines
by Beverly Carroll



That article, as you will recall, discussed the luncheon I attended in Louisville hosted by the Kentucky Bar Association. At that luncheon, an attorney in the Big Sandy area was honored for his professional contribution by providing an extraordinary amount of legal representation to several poor people without charge to them. In the legal community this is known as "pro bono" or "pro bono publico." A term you will become more familiar with.

In that article I indicated that we would consider some interesting facts about the legal profession and the professionals known as lawyers. The word attorney is preferred today. Whatever one is called, his/her profession is the same.

This week I will briefly mention the Appalachian Research and Defense Fund of Kentucky Inc. It is also well-known in Eastern and Southcentral Kentucky as ARDF, Legal Aid, Legal Services and Appalard. Usually, people who use any of these terms are speaking of the same nonprofit organization that is dedicated to helping the deserving poor, young and old, who need the services of an attorney but who cannot afford to pay attorney fees. We will get into a broader discussion of this program next week when we discuss the Title III program and how it relates to senior citizens with legal needs.

It has been brought to my attention over and over again, that oftentimes our senior citizens on fixed incomes do not know what to do or where to turn when they find themselves in legal entanglements of one kind or another. Hopefully, this series of articles will prove beneficial to any reader in need to legal intervention. This week, however, I want to focus on those men and women who are attorneys or lawyers. Many citizens find it hard to believe that they are human beings just like all people.

I can relate to those of you who feel that way. I recall, as a young person, thinking much the same way about Liz Taylor. It was years before I could even imagine her

eating anything like tuna fish, and I certainly could not begin to perceive her making her own sandwiches. And to think of her doing dishes, running a vacuum cleaner and changing her children's diapers didn't even occur to me. In my mind she wasn't real. Therefore, I could not perceive her as being human with feelings and problems similar to my mother's or other women's mother's age in Liz' heyday.

I have come to the conclusion that our society as a whole regard attorneys much in the same way as I regarded this star—unreal, uncarving, without feelings, self-centered, no problems, no pain and very, very rich. Through time, however, I came to understand that she is a real human being. A real person with family problems, personal problems, medical problems, surgeries, heartbreaks, tears, triumphs and tragedies.

Unfortunately, many people perceive attorneys in much the same way as I perceived Elizabeth Taylor years ago. Sort of "untouchable" with no sense of down-to-earth reality, completely free of problems real people deal with in real life. Many people today regard attorneys as non compassionate, eccentrics, out to get all they can get as fast as they can get it, from whatever sources they can get it, egomaniacs. I'm not saying that they don't mellow with age as we all do. Likewise, I am not saying that there aren't some who don't live up to society's misconception of what attorneys are like. But in reality, if we could get to know every attorney on a personal basis, we would find there are very few who are as insensitive as society has labeled them.

This week, if you will, think about what you have just read. We'll continue our discussion next week as we look more closely at the legal profession and the men and women known as attorneys. It might surprise you just how caring most of them are.

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Certification required to test housing, facilities for lead

The Department for Public Health in cooperation with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has established guidelines and regulatory requirements in order to prevent lead poisoning to the citizens of Kentucky, particularly to young children.

Persons living in older homes which have deteriorated or peeling paint, who plan to remodel, sell a residence, or otherwise want to have lead-hazard detection or abatement services conducted, should seek certified persons to do the work.

Beginning this month, only persons who have been certified by the Cabinet for Human Services are permitted to conduct lead inspections, risk assessment

and abatement activities in residential housing and child-occupied facilities built before 1978.

Lead poisoning of children is a significant environmental and health threat in the United States that is preventable, says the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. About one million children under six years of age in the United States have blood lead levels of at least 10 micrograms per deciliter, a level high enough to adversely affect their intelligence, behavior and development, according to the CDC.

"It's important that we reduce exposure to lead in housing and in facilities where the levels are high. This is especially important in places where children spend a significant amount of time since children are the most vulnerable to lead poisoning," said Department for Public Health Commissioner Rice C. Leach, M.D. "It is important that inspections and procedures to remove lead are done correctly, to avoid situations where

Kentuckians feel they have taken care of the problem, when it may still exist."

Some residential housing built before 1978 may have significant amounts of lead in the paint, however, older homes built before 1960 have been found to have greatest concentrations of lead.

A child-occupied facility is a building or portion of a building constructed before 1978 that a child six years of age or younger spends at least three hours a day, two days a week in, such as day care, family child-care home, preschool or kindergarten classroom.

"If your home or building falls within the new guidelines, and you have it checked, ask for documentation of Kentucky certification first," Leach said.

Elemental lead is a highly toxic metal and exists throughout the United States. For example, about five million tons of lead were used in residential paint, and lead also was used in plumbing and numerous other consumer and industrial

goods. About 7.3 million tons were used for leaded gas. Although lead pollution prevention methods are underway by curtailing current uses and production, lead continues to be a threat because it persists indefinitely in the environment, Leach said.

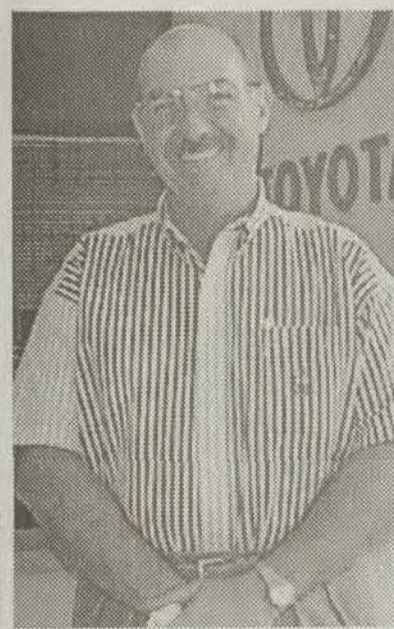
Poisoning occurs when lead is absorbed into the blood. While lead absorption affects virtually every body system, the brain and central nervous system are most severely affected. Extreme lead poisoning causes convulsions, mental retardation, seizures and sometimes death. Children, infants and fetuses are at particular risk because lead damages the developing brain and nervous system and may cause permanent impairment. Even low levels of lead poisoning reduce intelligence and may impair physical development.

Concerned parents should contact their child's primary physician. In 1995, Kentucky health

departments screened more than 41,000 Kentucky children under the age of six years and found that 14 percent of the tests revealed unsafe levels of lead that could cause decreased intelligence, reduced growth and learning disabilities. Nearly 1 percent of those tested had blood lead levels that were high enough to cause severe and adverse health problems such as kidney and liver damage.

"Lead poisoning is preventable, but you have to be aware that your child is being exposed to this hazard. For that reason, it's imperative that people checking for lead know what they are doing. This certification process will ensure that competent people are carrying out the work," Leach said.

For more information about the new regulatory requirements, contact officials of the Public Health's Environmental Management Branch in the Division of Environmental Health and Community Safety at (502) 564-4856.



Salesman of the month

Oscar Rice was recently named Salesman of the Month at Carter-Hughes Toyota in Prestonsburg. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

Kentucky first BellSouth state to introduce nationwide directory assistance service

The world is about to become a little bit simpler for telephone customers in Kentucky. Beginning July 15, BellSouth will introduce its new National Directory Assistance (NDA) service on a trial basis in the bluegrass state.

"We're excited to be the first state in BellSouth to offer our customers this super convenient new service," said Paul Smith, BellSouth regional manager. "Starting Tuesday morning, July

15, BellSouth's Kentucky telephone customers will be able to get both local and nationwide directory assistance by dialing a single number—1+411."

When callers dial 1+411, they will be asked for the state and city of the party whose number they need. There is no need to know the city's area code when calling outside your local area.

The system will search for the

listing and provide the telephone number for long distance calls in the same manner as for local ones.

"Not only is NDA easy to use, fast and convenient, Smith said, "it's also very competitively priced, compared with other national listing services. The charge for local Directory Assistance in Kentucky remains \$30 per call, with one free call allowance for residential con-

cerns.

The charge for calls outside the local calling area will be \$.85, and a caller may request two national listings per call.

Kentucky is BellSouth's trial location for NDA. "If all goes well," BellSouth plans to introduce the service in the remaining eight states we serve by early next year," Smith said.

Dr. Nichols joins Pike Methodist staff

Pikeville Methodist Hospital and Eastern Kentucky Bone and Joint Surgery announce the association of Orthopaedic Surgeon Loren Nichols, M.D.

Dr. Nichols is originally from Rockledge, Florida, but has lived in Memphis, Tennessee, since he was 12 years old. A son of a minister, he is a graduate of Christian Brothers University in Memphis, Tennessee and the University of Tennessee College of Medicine. He completed a transitional internship at Methodist Hospitals of Memphis and then continued his training through an orthopaedic residency at Campbell Clinic at the University of Tennessee.

Dr. Nichols will be joining Dr. Steven Shockey at Eastern Kentucky Bone and Joint Surgery

and will have privileges at Pikeville Methodist Hospital.

Dr. Nichols and his extended family, which includes his wife, Rosanne, their children, Ryan, 4, and Rachel, 18 months, and his mother and father-in-law, Bonnie and Jim Martin are moving to Pikeville this week.

Rosanne Nichols is also a physician. She just completed her pediatric residency training at LeBonheur Children's Medical Center in Memphis, Tennessee, but has no practice plans at this time.

Currently, Dr. Nichols time is consumed with building a new home in Pikeville and moving, but when he has time, he enjoys golf and waterskiing. He also enjoys restoring old cars. He reworks the engine, does body work and paints

the cars himself.

Dr. Nichols began seeing patients in Pikeville at Eastern Kentucky Bone and Joint Surgery on Auxier Avenue on Monday, July 14.

Commerce Corner

This week the Chamber of Commerce received a complimentary letter from a Texas tourist! The tourist stated "Congratulations on the job that you all have started on beautifying and improving the image of Floyd County Kentucky." The tourist went on to say that during a recent visit he was pleasantly surprised to see that we have started an aggressive campaign to cleanup and improve the quality of life in this beautiful part of the United States. In this letter, he strongly states that our area has unlimited tourism potential because of its "spectacular and splendid beauty." The Chamber was very proud to receive this letter, and we are proud that we are accomplishing these goals through the dedication of our membership businesses!

Chamber President, Greg Wilson, represented our organization well as the guest speaker at a recent Prestonsburg Rotary Club meeting. Mr. Wilson discussed the growth of the Chamber of Commerce in the past year, and he emphasized the membership services that have contributed to that growth. He also introduced some new services of the Chamber of Commerce that will improve the business climate in Floyd County.

This past week as Executive Director, I spent some time visiting current members and potential members. One visit with current member Dr. Gerald Combs really made the impression of an elite

Chamber Member.

Dr. Combs is an optometrist in Martin, and is dedicated to making sure that the care his patients receive in Eastern Kentucky is as good as it would be anywhere. He has proven that dedication recently by purchasing a state of the art telemedicine visual machine. I just happened to stop by the office the same day they installed the machine, and I can tell you that it is nothing like you've ever seen in your optometrist's office before. I walked out of there with a computer printout of the inside of my eye!

Dr. Combs is very excited about this technology, because it will allow him to show his patients their diagnosis, store patient video records on a computer which will help him monitor his patients on-going eyecare, and enable him to share patient information with other doctors anywhere in the world in a time frame of about 30 seconds. It is obvious what this means for Dr. Combs' patients, quality eyecare, plain and simple. And guess what, you can't find this state of the art eyecare in Lexington, Dr. Combs is the only optometrist in the state of Kentucky to have this equipment. In fact, he's one of only about a dozen optometrists in the United States who has this technology. The Chamber of Commerce is proud to say that we have members like Dr. Combs. He is a perfect example of the leadership that the Chamber of Commerce strives to foster, and we thank him for his dedication to improving Eastern Kentucky!



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FOR LEASE OR SALE: 1995 Crimson mobile home. 16x72, two bedroom, two baths, partially furnished. Located on Stewart Road at Turner Branch. \$430 per month plus utilities. \$250 deposit. Call 606-478-4004 or 478-4006. Please leave message if no answer. (Johnson County, North Rt. 23, four miles out of Paintsville.)

Houses For Rent

HOUSE FOR RENT: Prestonsburg. \$425/month. Call 886-3023.

FOR RENT: Three bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen, one bathroom, carpeted, paneling, mini-blinds, central heat/air, fenced yard. 67 Greer Street, Lancer Addition, Prestonsburg. \$450 per month. \$300 deposit. Call 886-6358.

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FOR RENT: Two story three bedroom home at Hueysville. City water. Nice yard. \$350/month. HUD approved. Call 358-3392.

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DUPLEX APARTMENT: Two bedroom. Central air/heat, w/d hookup. U.S. 23 and Rt. 80. \$400/month plus utilities. \$375 deposit. Call 886-6551 or 237-4758.

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Applications may be obtained Monday-Friday, 3-4 p.m. only

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Appalachian Regional Healthcare, a not-for-profit system of hospitals, clinics and home health agencies serving KY, WV, & VA, is accepting resumes for the position of Manager, Specialty Programs. This full-time position is located with ARH's Division of Clinics in Hazard, KY. Responsibilities include management of Workers' Compensation Managed Care Programs, Community Health Partnerships council, etc. Candidates with a strong background in and a working knowledge of workers' compensation regulations, preferably with experience in a managed care setting, are preferred. Bachelor's degree preferred or at least five years experience in the health care field including supervisory background. The Manager, Specialty Programs will have frequent contact with employers and employees, third party payors, medical staff, Advisory Council members, state and federal agencies and other ARH divisions. ARH offers an excellent salary and an outstanding benefits package. For additional information, please send resume to or contact:

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Services

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Elderly Care

I WILL LIVE IN home with elderly and take care of them. Prestonsburg area. call 889-0080.

Legals

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Sandy Valley Transportation Services, Inc., will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday, July 30, 1997, at 1 p.m. in the large conference room, Big Sandy Area Development District, 100 Resource Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

The purpose of the public hearing is for the consideration of an application for federal funds for capital purchases through Section 5309 Discretionary Capital funds of the Federal Transit Act. This project shall be a class 2 action and shall have no significant impact on the environment and the project shall not displace any persons, families, or businesses. Comments may be made in person, or through written submissions to Sandy Valley Transportation Services, 80 Resource Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1842, 606-886-1936. EOE M/F/H.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

DIVISION NO. 1
C.A. No. 90-CI-000442
Marvin J. Saltsbury and Genevieve McKinney, PLAINTIFFS
and Mecie McKinney, INTERVENING PLAINTIFF

vs.
R.C. Billips, d/b/a Peter Fork Mining Co., and Roy Saltsbury, DEFENDANTS

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of Execution, directed to me, which issued from the Clerk's Office of the Floyd Circuit Court, in favor of Marvin J. Saltsbury, Genevieve McKinney, and Mecie McKinney and against Roy Saltsbury, for the sum of \$23,779.22, at the rate of 10% per annum, compounded annually, from January 24, 1996, until the date of sale, and court costs of \$328.10.

I, or one of my deputies, will on the 6th day of August, 1997, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., at the courthouse door in the city of Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Kentucky, expose to sale, to the highest bidder, the following described property:

IN FLOYD COUNTY:
Bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the creek just above Melvin Bush's house; thence running up the point and east course with Melvin Bush line, it being a conditional line between Sam Sturgill and Melvin Bush; thence same course to the top of point of J. P. Sturgill line; thence a south course to A.J. Sturgill line; a westward course to the creek opposite a cross fence just below A.J. Sturgill house; thence with the meanders

of the creek down a north course to the beginning so as to include all the land in said boundary. For further reference deed from Malinda C. Harris, Armina Orsborn and Patience J. Keathley, of date June 23, 1903, recorded in Floyd County records in Deed Book No. 14, page 333, is referred and made a part hereof. The mineral is included with this land. For further reference description, deed of date May 6, 1916, from James and Emily R. Sturgill is referred to and made a part hereof which is recorded in Floyd County records in Deed Book 52, page 428. Also deed from Sam Sturgill and Dolly Sturgill, dated March 1, 1919 and recorded in Floyd County records, Deed Book No. 110, page 424.

Being the undivided 1/2 interest of Roy Saltsbury in a Deed from Randall Lawson, et al., dated July 23, 1994, at Deed Book 379, Page 163, Floyd County records.

TRACT 2
Being on Left Toler's Creek, a tributary of Mud Creek, bounded and described as follows: beginning in the creek at a corner with the Floyd Robert's line; thence crossing the creek and up the hill with said Robert's line to the top of the ridge; thence running with the top of the ridge and the Bush line around the hill to the line of Henry Moore to a point at the center of a ridge and corner of said line; thence running down the hill with the line of Henry Moore to a planted stone at the corner of said Moore line and the line of Roy Saltsbury and Arnold Wilson; thence on down the hill to the center of the creek; thence up the center of the creek, the Beginning corner.

Being the undivided 1/6 interest of Roy Saltsbury in a Deed from Randall Lawson, et al., dated July 23, 1994, at Deed Book 379, Page 163, Floyd County records.

TRACT 3
Being on the Left Hand Fork of Toler Creek and beginning at a sweet gum on the East side of the creek; thence up the point with the Velt Saltsbury line to a chestnut oak on top of the hill; thence with the top of the ridge a southerly course to a chestnut oak at Henry Saltsbury's line; thence down the hollow to a sweet gum on the bank of the creek; thence up the creek to a planted stone on the West bank of the creek at Henry Saltsbury's line; thence a straight line to a planted stone at the back of orchard; thence with Ida Hall's line to a poplar on the bank of a drain; thence up the point with said Ida Hall's line to a hickory; thence round the hill to a black oak at corner of Polly Perry's line; thence a straight line down the hill to an apple tree; thence straight to the beginning.

Being the undivided 1/6 mineral interest in Deed of Conveyance from Arnold L. Saltsbury, et al., to Roy Saltsbury, et al., dated March 25, 1977, at Deed Book 228, Page 410, Floyd County records.

TRACT 4
Those certain tracts or parcels of real property located, lying and being on Branham's Creek, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a sycamore on the south side of the branch at or near the mouth of a drain, then up said branch N 50 E 293 feet to a beech, on the north bank of said branch, then leaving the branch and up the hill, N 33.45 W 220 feet to a maple, N 25.45 W 230 feet to a maple on the point, then up with the point N 10.30 W 270 feet to a chestnut oak, N 9 W 245 feet to a black walnut, N 6.30 W 430 feet to a stake on top of the main ridge between Branham's Creek and Tolers Creek; thence along said ridge with Lackey Saltsbury's line, S 79 E 153 feet, S 69 E 289

feet, N 67 E 245 feet to a hickory, N 88.30 E 465 feet, N 65.30 E 70 feet to a sourwood on a knob, then leaving Saltsbury, and with Willie Roberts heirs, S 34 E 410 feet, S 43 E 410 feet, S 43 E 492 feet, S 5.30 W 330 feet to an oak stump in the road gap, S 5.45 E 314 feet, S 26 W 170 feet to a black walnut, S 5 W 400 feet to a sugar tree, S 21 E 227 feet, S 12.30 W 220 feet to a large chestnut oak, a corner to Sill Hamilton; thence down the hill with Sill Hamilton's line, S 86.15 W 565 feet to a hickory; then leaving Hamilton and with Osker Newman's line, N 72.15 W 585 feet to a white oak, N 33 W 900 feet to the beginning.

Being the undivided 1/4 interest in surface from Jake Akers, et al., to Roy Saltsbury, et al., dated 12/24/93, and recorded in Deed Book 373, page 365, Floyd County records.

TRACT 5
Those certain tracts or parcels of real property located, lying and being on Willie Roberts Branch (a/k/a the "Sturgill Branch") of Toler Creek, a tributary of Big Mud Creek, and bounded and described as follows:

Tract No. 1: Beginning at cross fence, on rock marked with X, near center of Main Hollow; thence up the center of drain or hollow on "South Side," a straight line to the top of ridge, thence down the ridge east course with the line of Myrtle Sturgill's to a bluff; thence north with the said Sturgill's line to the branch; thence continuing with said Sturgill line to top of hill "now Fin Wilburn's line and Crabtree Branch and Millard Hamilton's; thence up the hill and also with Robert Newman's line; thence continuing with said Newman's line through the saddle gap and on up the ridge to a high knob and marked ash tree, near the center of ridge and wire fence; thence south with wire fence to twin hickories "marked" thence down the hill following the fence to a maple tree; thence to an X on rock near a hickory; thence to a dogwood; thence to a white oak, on down the hill to X on cliff. Thence following the wire fence to triple black oaks; thence continuing with the fence to the center of branch and marked stone and beginning.

Tract II. Beginning at a marked stone and fence at or near center of main hollow; thence a straight line with the line of Mildred Freeman to the top of the hill; thence west with top of the hill and John McKinney's line to Myrtle Sturgill's line; thence with top of ridge to High Knob and Conn's line; now Field May's line; thence continuing with the ridge and May's line to the John W. Taylor's line; thence continuing with said Taylor's line on down the ridge to the Newman's line; thence on down the ridge to the Newman's line; thence on down the ridge to a marked ash tree and wire fence on high knob and Mildred Freeman's line; thence down the hill with said Freeman's line and wire fence to the beginning.

Tract III. All of those certain rights, title, estates, easements and privileges conveyed to Joe Howell by Deed of Conveyance dated August 25, 1958, of record in Deed Book 176, page 48.

It being the express intention of the Grantors and the Grantors do hereby and herewith bargain, grant, sell and convey unto the Grantees and their respective heirs and assigns, forever, all of those lands and interests in lands further described in and identified under the following Deeds of Conveyance:

(i) Deed of Conveyance from Terry McKinney and Reta McKinney, his wife, to Oscar King and Vallie King, his wife, dated July 20, 1974, of record in Deed Book 217, page 406, Floyd County Court Clerk's

Office;

(ii) Deed of Conveyance from Flora Mildred Freeman Vonins and William L. Vonins, her husband, to Terry McKinney, dated July 9, 1973, of record in Deed Book 214, page 72, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

Excepting only the surface of that certain house lot further described in detail in that certain Deed of Conveyance from Oscar King, et al., to Adron Justice, et ux., dated May 2, 1978, of record in Deed Book 234, page 264, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

Being the undivided 1/4 interest in surface of the Deed of November 3, 1993 from Oscar King, et al., to Roy Saltsbury, et al., and recorded in Deed Book 372, page 287, Floyd County records.

Terms: Sale will be made on a credit of 60 days; bond with approved security required, bearing interest at the rate of 12 percent per annum from the day of sale, and having the force and effect of a judgment.

Dated: 7/9/97

Paul H. Thompson,
Sheriff
Omery C. Hall, Jr.,
Office Manager

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-5356, Operator Change

In accordance with the 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Maple Ridge Mining Corporation, P.O. Box 219, Harold, Kentucky 41635 intends to revise permit number 836-5356 to add an operator. The new operator will be Ro-Co Resources, Inc., P.O. Box 1257, Pikeville, Kentucky 41502.

The operation is located 0.5 miles southeast of Drift in Floyd County. The operation is approximately 0.8 mile southeast from KY 122's junction with KY 1101 and located on Simpson Branch of Left Fork of Beaver Creek. The operation is located on the McDowell U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 quadrangle map at latitude 37° 28' 19" and longitude 82° 44' 22".

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1410. Written comments or objections must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. All comments or objections must be received within fifteen (15) days of today's date.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that The Floyd County Fiscal Court, Floyd County Building, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has filed an application with the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet to construct a single lane bridge across Salt Lick Creek. The property is located on Salt Lick Creek, approximately 1.2 mile west of the community of Bosco in Floyd County. The latitude is 37d 30m 20s. The longitude is 82d 51m 20s. Any comments or objections concerning this application shall be directed to: Kentucky Division of Water, Water Resources Branch, 18 Reilly Road, Frankfort Office Park, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. Phone 502-564-3410.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to KRS 231.040, application for a permit to operate a place of entertainment, has been made by Sharon Sticklin of P.O. Box 1501, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The name of the proposed business of entertainment is Sunset Lounge. The nature of the

business will be beer by drink, beer carryout, pool tables, and jukebox.

Pursuant to KRS 231.070, the Floyd County Attorney shall investigate whether the applicant lacks good moral character, or whether the applicants will obey the laws of the Commonwealth in the operation of the business, or whether the applicant, within the last two (2) years prior to the date of filing the application has been convicted in Kentucky of maintaining a public nuisance. Pursuant to KRS 231.080 any person desiring to oppose the permits shall file with the County Clerk no later than August 21, 1997, in writing, allegations that show cause as to why the application shall not be granted. Said written information shall be signed, dated and reflect the current address of said person providing the information.

Pursuant to KRS 231.080, a hearing has been scheduled for August 21, 1997, at the hour of 1:30 p.m., or as soon thereafter as same can be heard before the Floyd County Judge Executive at the Floyd County Courthouse Annex in Prestonsburg, Kentucky. The Floyd County Judge Executive shall hear evidence in support or in opposition to the granting of the permit.

Keith Bartley
Floyd County Attorney

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

DIVISION NO. II
CIVIL ACTION NO. 97-CI-00019

THE BANK JOSEPHINE PLAINTIFF
VS.
MOUNTAIN AMBULANCE SERVICE, INC., ET AL.

DEFENDANTS NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the June 24, 1997 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 29th day of July, 1997, at the hour of 9:00 a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum. The following described property to-wit:

Being the same property conveyed to the parties of the first part, Paul Joseph and Nadine Joseph, his wife, by deed dated February 28, 1966, of record in Deed Book 189, Page 620, in the office of the Floyd County Clerk, and being a certain tract or parcel of land lying in Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Kentucky, on the Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy River, containing 2 lots, more or less, which is more particularly described as follows: i

Lying and being in Floyd County, Kentucky, in the Richmond Subdivision No. 2 of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, beginning at a stake at the corner of this property at the intersection of Highland Street and Kelly Avenue; thence N 4 00 E 120 feet to a stake; thence N 57 30 E 53.92 feet to a stake at the corner of Vester Fraley property, thence S 4 00 E 120 feet to a stake in the right of way line of Highland Street; thence S 57 30 W 53.92 feet along the right of way line of Highland Street to the intersection of the right of way of Kelly Avenue, the place of beginning.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include, costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and hav-

ing the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND, this 27 day of June, 1997

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

DIVISION NO. I
CIVIL ACTION NO. 96-CI-00776
THE BANK JOSEPHINE OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

PLAINTIFF

VS.
TIMOTHY LEE JACOBS, JEANNIE (JACOBS) HACKWORTH, and FLOYD COUNTY, KENTUCKY

DEFENDANTS NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the April 17, 1997 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 29th day of July, 1997, at the hour of 11:00 a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum. The following described property to-wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner of Lot No. 109 at an iron stake running west approximately 25 feet to an iron stake, thence south approximately 84 feet to an iron stake; thence west up the hill approximately 25 feet to an iron stake, thence in a southerly direction approximately 95 feet to an iron stake, thence east approximately 75 feet to an iron stake and the edge of street; thence running in a northerly direction approximately 100 feet to the corner of opposite corner of storm drain continuing on in a northwest direction approximately 84 feet to the point of beginning. For Property conveyed to the Mortgagee, Timothy L. Jacobs and Jeannie H. Jacobs by Deed bearing date November 29, 1991 recorded in Deed Book 352, Page 534 in the Floyd County Clerks Office.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include, costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Gene Frasure, P.O. Box 1414, Martin, Kentucky 41649, has filed an application with the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet to construct a bridge and placement of an earthen fill in the 100 year floodplain. The property is located on the west bank of Arkansas Creek approximately 1.0 mile southeast of the city of Martin in Floyd County. The latitude is 37d 34m 11s. The longitude is 82d

43m 59s. Any comments or objections concerning this application shall be directed to: Kentucky Division of Water, Water Resources Branch, 18 Reilly Road, Frankfort Office Park, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. Phone 502-564-3410.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to KRS 231.040, application for a permit to operate a place of entertainment has been made by Mary Bentley of P.O. Box 114, Betsy Layne, KY 41605. The name of the proposed business of entertainment is Eight Ball Bar. The nature of the business will be beer by drink, beer carryout, pool tables, and jukebox.

Pursuant to KRS 231.070, the Floyd County Attorney shall investigate whether the applicant lacks good moral character, or whether the applicant will obey the laws of the Commonwealth in the operation of the business, or whether the application, within the last two (2) years prior to the date of filing of the application has been convicted in Kentucky of maintaining a public nuisance. Pursuant to KRS 231.080 any person desiring to oppose the permits shall file with the County Clerk no later than July 17, 1997, in writing, allegations that show cause as to why the application shall not be granted. Said written information shall be signed, dated and reflect the current address of said person providing the information.

Pursuant to KRS 231.080, a hearing has been scheduled for July 17, 1997 at the hour of 1:30 p.m., or as soon thereafter as same can be heard before the Floyd County Judge/Executive at the Floyd County Courthouse Annex in Prestonsburg, Kentucky. The Floyd County Judge/Executive shall hear evidence in support of or in opposition to the granting of the permit.

KEITH BARTLEY
FLOYD COUNTY ATTORNEY

INVITATION TO BID

Floyd County Schools is requesting sealed bids for a trailer that has been declared surplus property. The trailer size is 24'x32' and is located behind the Betsy Layne High School at Betsy Layne.

All bids must be marked on the outside of the envelope "Sealed Trailer Bid Enclosed." These bids must be at the Schools Maintenance Department by 10:00 a.m. on July 18, 1997, for bid opening. For further information, call Gregory Adams, Director of Facilities, at 874-2049.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

(1) In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Locust Grove, Inc., Box 958, Hazard, KY 41702, has applied for Phase I bond release on increment 2, 3, 4 and 7 and Phase II release on increment 1 on Permit Number 836-0254 which was last issued on 5/16/97. The application covers an area of approximately 176.89 acres located 1.5 mile southeast of Northern, in Floyd County.

(2) The permit area is approximately 1.0 miles southeast from the junction of KY 80 and KY 680 and located 0.4 miles southwest of Goose Creek. The latitude is 37°29'03". The longitude is 82°47'54".

(3) The bond now in effect for the increment 2 is a surety bond in the amount of \$92,300. Approximately 60 per cent of the original bond amount of \$92,300 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for the increment 3 is a surety bond in the amount of \$116,800. Approximately 60 per cent of the original bond

amount of \$116,800 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for the increment 4 is a surety bond in the amount of \$7,200. Approximately 60 per cent of the original bond amount of \$7,200 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for the increment 7 is a surety bond in the amount of \$24,200. Approximately 60 per cent of the original bond amount of \$24,200 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for the increment 1 is a surety bond in the amount of \$39,400. Approximately 25 per cent of the original bond amount of \$94,000 is included in the application for release.

(4) Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, grading, topsoiling, and seeding completed in April 1995 for Increment 1; May 1997 for Increment 2, and April 1996 for increments 3, 4 and 7.

(5) Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by August 22, 1997.

(6) A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for 1:00 p.m., August 25, 1997, at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing shall be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by August 22, 1997.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

The following item will be offered for public sale, July 18, 1997, at 11:00 a.m. in the First Commonwealth Bank parking lot, 169 North Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to satisfy the unpaid balance of installment contract signed November 13, 1997.

Item to be sold: 1997 Pontiac Grand Am S/N 4769.

For further information contact Mike Haney, 886-2321.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

The following item will be offered for public sale, July 18, 1997, at 11:00 a.m. in the First Commonwealth Bank parking lot, 169 North Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to satisfy the unpaid balance of installment contract signed May 23, 1997.

Item to be sold: 1989 Chevy S-10 Blazer.

For further information contact Mike Haney, 886-2321.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

The following item will be offered for public sale, July 18, 1997, at 11:00 a.m. in the First Commonwealth Bank parking lot, 169 North Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to satisfy the unpaid balance of installment contract signed December 19, 1994.

Item to be sold: 1990 Nissan Stanza S/N 3332.

For further information contact Mike Haney, 886-2321.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

The following item will be offered for public sale, July 18, 1997, at 11:00 a.m. in the First Commonwealth Bank parking lot, 169 North Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to satisfy the unpaid balance of installment contract signed December 4, 1995.

Item to be sold: 1995 Mercury Cougar.

For further information contact Mike Haney, 886-2321.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 CIVIL ACTION NO. 96-CI-00733 TRANS FINANCIAL BANK, N.A. PLAINTIFF VS. KENNETH SIZEMORE, ET AL DEFENDANTS NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the June 3, 1997 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 29th day of July, 1997, at the hour of 11:30 a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

TRACT ONE: LOT AND HOUSE NO. 776 SITUATED IN TOWN OF WAYLAND, FLOYD COUNTY, KENTUCKY, AND SHOWN ON MAP OF TOWN OF WAYLAND, KENTUCKY DATED JULY 16, 1946 NO. 5-K-1 OF THE ELKHORN COAL CORPORATION ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT FILES, AND MORE PARTICULARLY BOUNDED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE EAST EDGE OF SIDE WALK, WITNESSED N 88-09 W 31.77 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST EDGE OF HOUSE NO 776, THENCE ON A LINE MIDWAY BETWEEN HOUSE NO 776 AND HOUSE NO. 777, S 63.40 W 81 FEET TO A STAKE, THENCE N 26.20 W 58 FEET TO A STAKE, THENCE ON A LINE MIDWAY BETWEEN HOUSE NO 776 AND HOUSE NO 775, N 63-40 E 81 FEET TO A POINT ON THE EAST EDGE OF SIDE WALK, THENCE WITH THE EDGE OF SIDE WALK S 26-20 E 58 FEET TO THE BEGINNING.

TRACT TWO: A CERTAIN TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND LYING AND BEING IN WAYLAND, FLOYD COUNTY, KENTUCKY AND MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED IN DEED OF CONVEYANCE FROM THE ELKHORN COAL CORPORATION TO CHARLES F. HUGHES AND KATHERINE HUGHES, HIS WIFE, BY DEED DATED SEPTEMBER 25, 1969, AND RECORDED IN DEED BOOK 215, PAGE 401, WHICH REFERENCE IS MADE FOR A MORE PARTICULAR DESCRIPTION.

BEING THE SAME PROPERTY CONVEYED TO THE FIRST PARTIES FROM ALVIN WEBB AND LOUISE WEBB, HIS WIFE

BY DEED BEARING DATE AUGUST 27, 1985, AND RECORDED IN DEED BOOK NO 294, PAGE 408, IN THE OFFICE OF THE FLOYD COUNTY COURT CLERK.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include, costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND, this 27 day of June, 1997

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 CIVIL ACTION NO. 96-CI-00774 THE BANK JOSEPHINE OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY PLAINTIFF VS. JEFFREY JOSEPH and PAULENA JOSEPH, ET AL DEFENDANTS NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the May 19, 1997 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 29th day of July, 1997, at the hour of 10:30 a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

Being the same property conveyed to the mortgagors, Jeffery Joseph and Paulena Joseph, his wife, from Garrett Jones and Darlene Jones, his wife, by deed dated March 23, 1992, of record in Deed book 356, page 313, in the office of the Floyd County Clerk, and being a certain tract or parcel of land located in the waters of Abbott Creek, Floyd County, Kentucky, which is more particularly described as follows:

Lot Nos. 27, 28, 29 and 30 as shown on the plat of the Cooperas Lick

Estate Subdivision filed in the Floyd County Clerk's Office at Plat No. 1-1-99.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include, costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 CIVIL ACTION NO. 97-CI-00032 TRANS FINANCIAL BANK, N.A. PLAINTIFF VS. JEFFREY DEE SIMON, ET AL DEFENDANTS NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the March 25, 1997 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 29th day of July, 1997, at the hour of 12:00 a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

A CERTAIN TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND LYING ON THE LEFT HAND OF BULL CREEK, FLOYD COUNTY AND MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING ON A THORN BUSH AND A ROCK MARKED X ON THE NORTH SIDE OF BRANCH BELOW THE OIL WELL, THENCE RUNNING A STRAIGHT LINE UP THE POINT TO CYNTHIA HATFIELDS LINE TO A CHESTNUT TREE NEAR TWO LOCUSTS; THENCE WITH SAID LINE UP THE HILL TO THE TOP OF RIDGE TO JOHN STEPHENS LINE, THENCE WITH SAID LINE A WESTERLY COURSE WITH THE TOP OF THE RIDGE TO FLOYD LAFERTY'S LINE RUNNING DOWN THE POINT WITH SAID LAFERTY LINE TO A MARKED MAPLE, THENCE A STRAIGHT LINE DOWN THE HILL TO A WALNUT TREE BELOW A COAL BANK; THENCE RUNNING AN EASTERLY COURSE WITH THE BRANCH TO A MARKED ROCK NEAR THE SPRING AT FORKS OF BRANCH, THENCE A STRAIGHT LINE DOWN THE BRANCH TO THE BEGINNING.

BEING THE SAME PROPERTY CONVEYED TO THE FIRST PARTY FROM CURTIS & RUTH OUSELY BY DEED DATED JULY 29, 1994 AND RECORDED IN DEED BOOK 379, PAGE 211 IN THE OFFICE OF THE FLOYD COUNTY COURT CLERK.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include, costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 CIVIL ACTION NO. 96-CI-00829 FIRST COMMONWEALTH BANK OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, INC. PLAINTIFF VS. CHALMER R MARTIN, and FLOYD COUNTY, KENTUCKY DEFENDANTS NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the April 17, 1997 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 29th day of July, 1997, at the hour of 9:30 a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

BEING THE SAME property conveyed to the Chalmer R Martin and Avalean Martin, his wife, by Deed dated September 10, 1976, from Nora Martin, single, which is duly recorded in Deed Book 227, Page 148, and also by Deed dated April 14, 1994, from Avalean Martin, by James R Allen, Master Commissioner to Chalmer R Martin, which is duly recorded in Deed Book 375, Page 774, all of which are of record in the office of the Floyd County Clerk and is more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a stake on the east side of Highway Route 777 located on the west side of Turkey Creek, thence from this stake crossing the bottom along the property line of Glenna Moore until reaching the west bank of Turkey Creek for a distance of 270 feet; thence from this stake turning to the left following along the creek until reaching the property line of Thomas E Martin; thence from this stake turning to the left crossing the bottom to an iron stake driven near the east edge of Highway Route 777; thence from this stake crossing the highway to a forked white oak tree near the west side of Highway 777, thence from white oak tree up the hill to an iron stake driven in the base of a white oak tree; thence from this stake up the hill to the ridge, thence from this stake at the center of the ridge to a stake; thence S 15 00' W eighty-three (83) feet to a stake; thence S 49 00' W one hundred ninety-one (191) feet to a stake, thence S 39 25' W one-hundred seventy-nine (179) feet to a stake, thence from this stake connecting to the corner of Diana Purvis property, thence from this stake down the hill to a stake; thence S 46 45' E five hundred twenty-eight (528) feet to a stake; thence S 42 15' E two hundred sixty-five (265) feet to a stake on the west side of the cemetery down the hill, thence S 42 15' E one hundred twenty (125) feet to a stake on the west to a stake on the east side of the highway from this stake; thence N 47 00' E one hundred eight (108) feet to a stake at the beginning.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include, costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 CIVIL ACTION NO. 97-CI-00040 TRANS FINANCIAL BANK, N.A. PLAINTIFF VS. JAMES RISTER AND PATRICIA RISTER, THE BANK JOSEPHINE, AND FLOYD COUNTY, KENTUCKY DEFENDANTS NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the May 19, 1997 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 29th day of July, 1997, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

Being the same property conveyed to the Mortgagors, James Rister and Patricia Rister, his wife, from Ben Smith and Suzie Smith, his wife, by deed dated November 4, 1960 and of record in Deed Book 217, page 533, and by Deed of Correction, dated October of 1978, from Ben Smith and Suzie Smith, his wife, of record in Deed Book 235, page 394, both in the office of the Floyd County Clerk, and being a certain tract or parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on the waters of Stone Coal Branch of right Beaver Creek, which is more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a culvert where the creek and the county road intersect; thence following the county road a distance of 39 feet; thence turning right and going up the hill a distance of 100 feet; thence turning right and going around the hill a distance of 146 feet; thence following the creek to the point of beginning.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include, costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

DIVISION NO 1 CIVIL ACTION NO 96-C-1-00817 INEZ DEPOSIT BANK PLAINTIFF VS. MAYBERN RAMEY, ET AL DEFENDANTS NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the May 19, 1997 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 29th day of July, 1997, at the hour of 12:30 p.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

BEGINNING AT THE junction of the right-of-way of the main county road of the Home Branch and the right-of-way of the county road of the right fork of the Home Branch, thence running down with the Home Branch with the right-of-way line of the county road 300 feet to a planted stone near a culvert under the road; thence turning left directly across the bottom in line with a small locust tree on the far side of the Right Fork road a distance of 193 feet to a planted stone on the right-of-way line, thence turning left and running with the right-of-way line; thence turning left and running with the right-of-way of the Right Fork road approximately 250 feet to the beginning point

Being the same property conveyed to Maybern T Ramey and Kimberly by deed from Johnny Keith Endicott, and Darlene Endicott, dated September 12, 1995, of record in Deed Book 389, Page 507, Floyd County Clerk's Office.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include, costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

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NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Spencer Branch Coal Co., d/b/a Hite Preparation Co., 452 Town Mountain Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501, has applied for Phase 3 bond release on Permit No. 636-5084 which was last issued on 6/11/89. The application covers an area of approximately 2.57 acres located 1.0 miles southeast of Hite in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 2.0 miles southeast from State Rt. 122 junction with Ky. Rt. 80 and located on Left Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37° 32' 15" and the longitude is 82° 43' 45."

The bond now in effect for the permit is a surety bond in the amount of \$1,200. Approximately 14.8% of the original bond amount of \$8,100.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes backfilling, grading, seeding and mulching completed in 1988. Written comments, objections and requests

for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 by August 29, 1997.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for September 2, 1997 at 1:00 p.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by August 29, 1997.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093 notice is hereby given that Arkansas Coals, Inc., 452 Town Mountain Road, Pikeville, KY 41501, has applied for Phase 2 & 3 bond release on Permit No. 636-5086 which was last issued on 1/16/89. The application covers an area of approximately 2.25 acres located 1.7 miles ----- of Martin in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 1.1 miles Southeast from Old Highway 80 junction with Arkansas Creek Road and located on Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37° 33' 49" and the longitude is 82° 43' 43."

The bond now in effect for the permit is a surety bond in the amount of \$ 1 0 , 6 0 0 . 0 0 . Approximately 51% of the original bond amount of \$20,900.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes backfilling, grading, seeding and mulching.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 by August 29, 1997.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for September 2, 1997 at 1:00 p.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by August 29, 1997.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Hattie Jarrell, d/b/a Hite Preparation Co., 452 Town Mountain Road, Pikeville, KY 41501, has applied for Phase 3 bond release on Permit No. 636-5085 which was last issued on 4/1/1989. The application covers an area of approximately 85.90 acres located 1.0 miles southeast of Sugarloaf in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 1400 feet from State Route 460 junction with ----- and located 1.0 miles southeast of Sugarloaf. The latitude is 37° 38' 52" and the longitude is 82° 42' 13."

The bond now in effect for the permit is a surety bond in the amount of \$1,500. Approximately 12% of the original bond amount of \$10,000.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes final backfilling, grading and seeding.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by August 29, 1997.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for September 2, 1997 at 1:00 p.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional

Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by August 29, 1997.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The Jenny Wiley Pioneer Festival is currently seeking bids for the following items for the festival to be held October 9-11, 1997.

A. Adequate sound system for music venue sites for the festival. Systems should provide for up to 10 microphones (singers, music) and cassette system for soloists using sound tracks. System should be adequate for venue of up to 2,500 audience members, and with at least three on stage monitors. Venue to be decided by Festival Entertainment Committee. Cost will be per hour. Four separate venue events.

B. Stage lighting for two venues, on stage performance areas. Price per hour.

Sealed bids are to be submitted to the Jenny Wiley Pioneer Festival, 90 North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Deadline will be July 28, 1997.

Bid opening will be held August 4, 1997, at 6 p.m., during the regular meeting of the Jenny Wiley Pioneer Festival.

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REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS

The City of Prestonsburg is requesting qualifications statements from engineering firms wishing to assist in the preliminary engineering, design and resident inspection of a water line extension project in the Buffalo Creek area of northeastern Floyd County, Kentucky.

It is expressly stated that payment for the foregoing services will be contingent upon project funding. Potential sources of funding for the project may include, but not be limited to, the Kentucky Community Development Block Grant Program and Rural Development Administration.

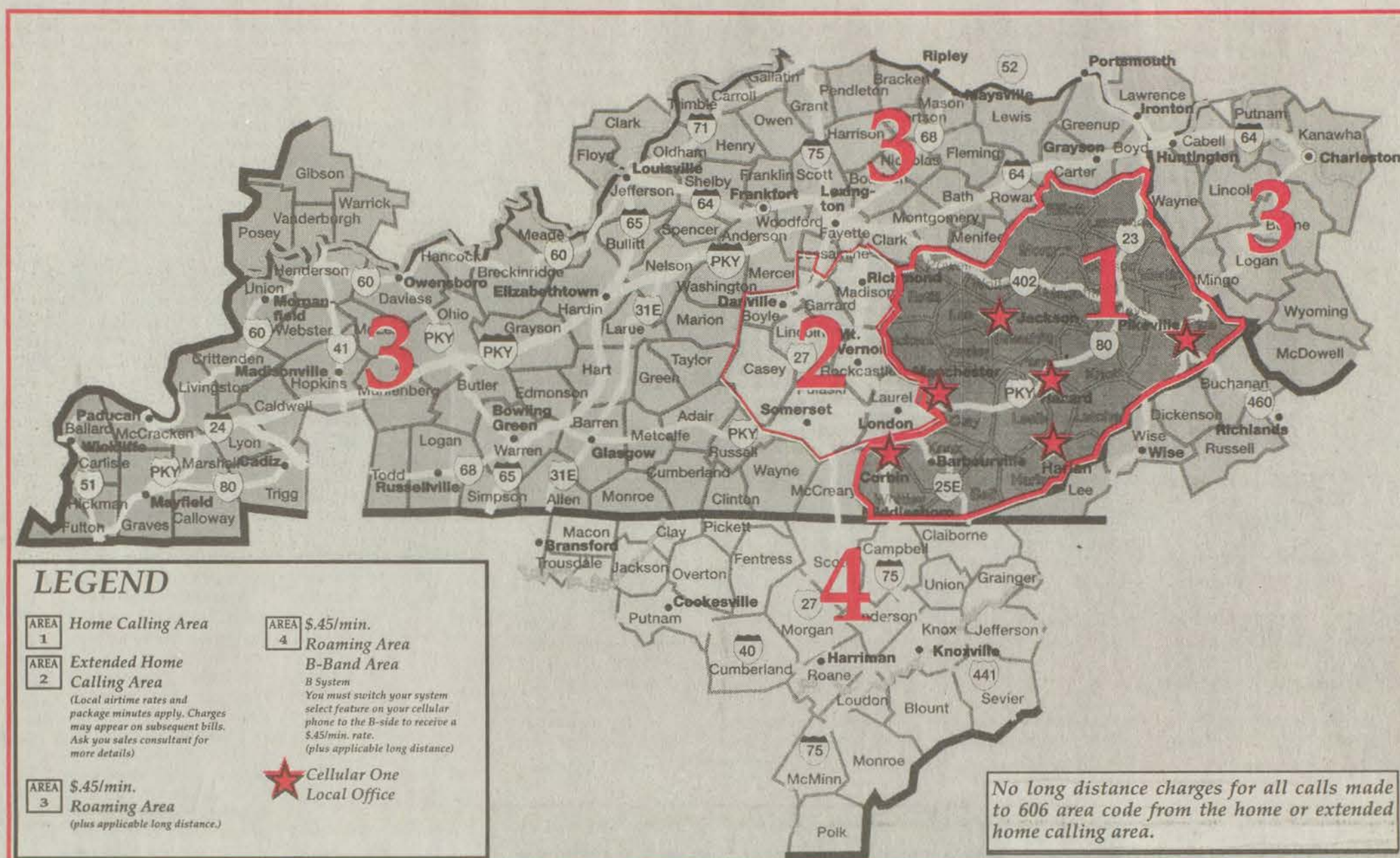
The complete Request for Qualifications package can be obtained by calling Sandra Saad at the Big Sandy Area Development District at (606) 886-2374. The deadline for receipt of submissions is 4 p.m., Thursday, July 31, 1997. Submissions should include eight (8) copies of the qualifications statements in a sealed envelope clearly marked "Buffalo Creek Water Project" on the exterior. Submissions should be made to Sandra Saad, Grants Proposal Writer, Big Sandy Area Development District, 100 Resource Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

Submissions will be opened publicly and considered by a procurement committee appointed by the Mayor of Prestonsburg. Submissions will be ranked on the basis of written materials as set forth in the RFQ package. The City of Prestonsburg reserves the right to schedule interviews with any or all respondents or to reject any or all proposals.

Attention of respondents to this RFQ is called to the requirements of Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, Section 109 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Executive Order 11246 and the Certification of Non-Segregated Facilities, all of which may be incorporated into any contract issued pursuant to this solicitation. The City of Prestonsburg is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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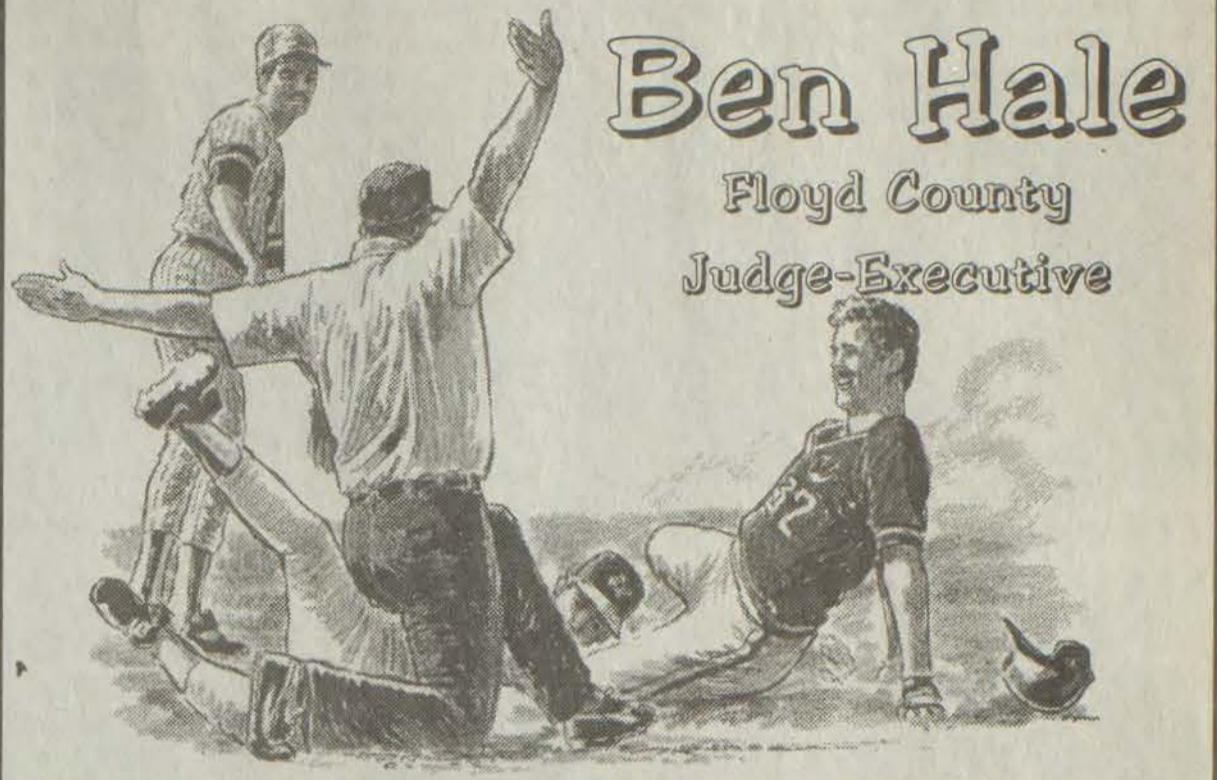
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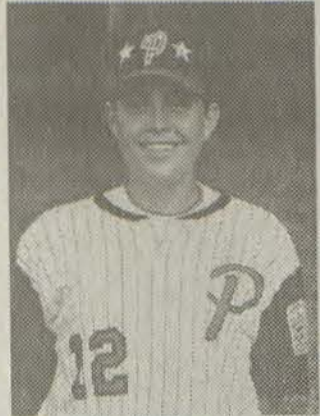
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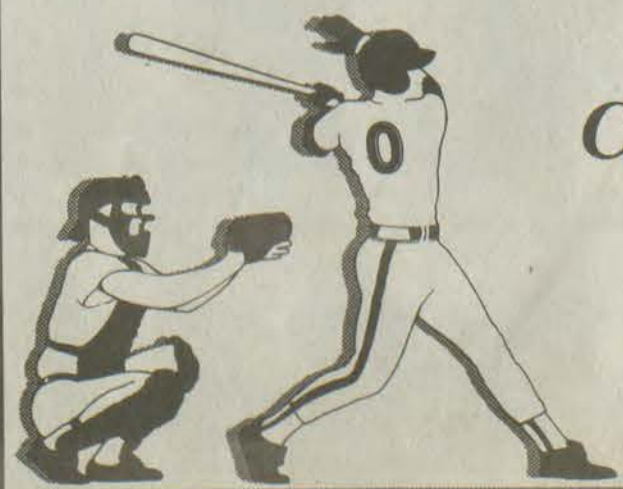
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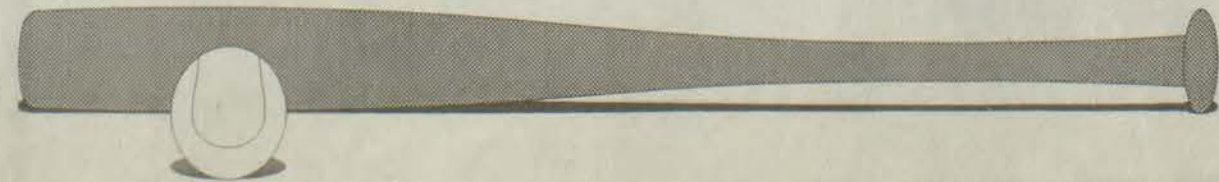
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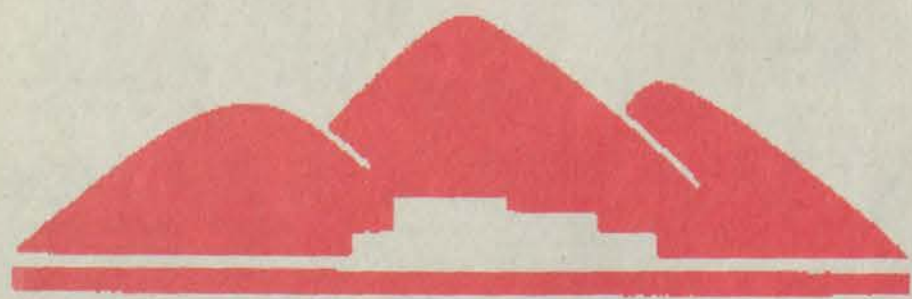
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